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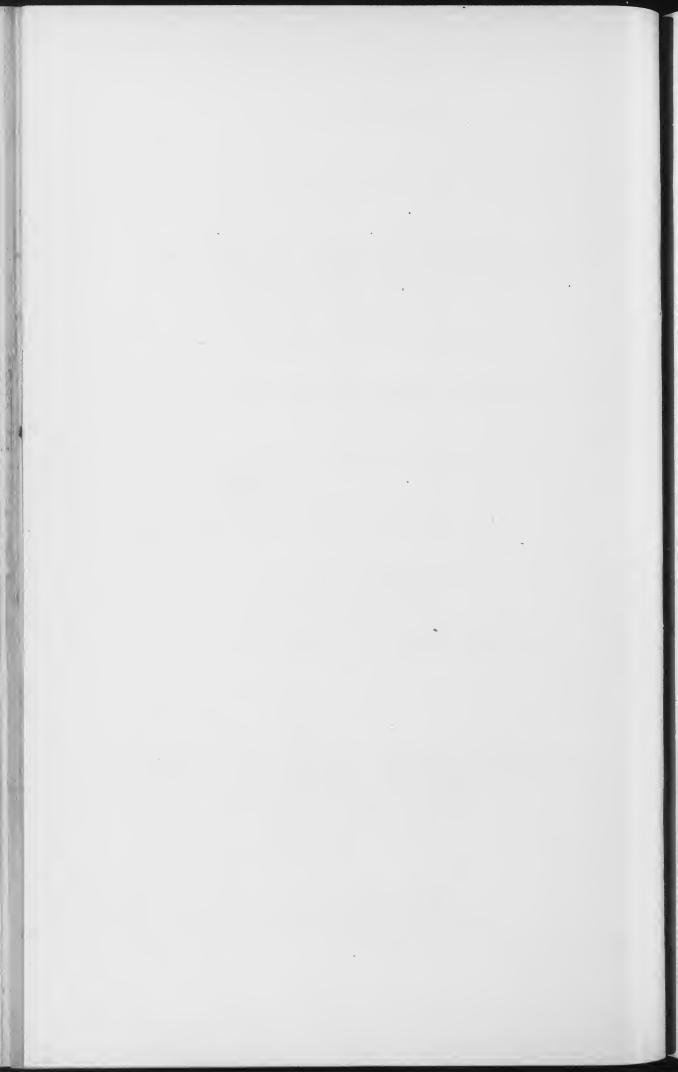
HELD AT

GOLDSBORO, N. C.,

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14TH, TO MONDAY 19TH, 1892.

BISHOP WILLIAM W. DUNCAN......PRESIDENT.
REV. W. L. CUNINGGIMSECRETARY.

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JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY.

WEDNESDAY, December 14th, 1892.

The North Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened in its Fifty-sixth Session at St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in the town of Goldsboro, N. C., Wednesday morning, December 14th, 1892, Bishop William W. Duncan in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Bishop Duncan. Hymn number 228, "And are we yet alive?" was sung, and the Bishop led in prayer. The 2d chapter of the 1st Epistle of John was read by the Bishop, and hymn 440, "O for a heart to praise my God," was sung, after which Rev. W. S. Black, D. D., led in prayer.

Donald W. Bain, Secretary of the last Conference, having died during the year, W. L. Cuninggim, Assistant Secretary, called the roll, and the following responded:

Clerical.—Washington S. Chaffin, Nathan A. Hooker, T. Page Ricaud, Shockley D. Adams, William S. Black, Jesse A. Cuninggim, Moses J. Hunt, Marcus C. Thomas, Marquis L. Wood, Alexander D. Betts, David R. Bruton, VanBuren A. Sharpe, John W. Jenkins, Robert A. Willis, Bernice B. Culbreth, Peter L. Herman, Thomas J. Gattis, William H. Moore, Alexander R. Raven, Edwin A. Yates, John E. Thompson, Frank L. Reid, Robah F. Bumpass, Frederick D. Swindell, Philip Greening, Richard J. Moorman, Jonathan Sanford, Nathaniel M. Jurney, William S. Rone, John T. Gibbs, Leonidas L. Nash, Benjamin R. Hall, Franklin A. Bishop, William B. Doub, Nereus E. Coltrane, James H. Cordon, George A. Oglesby, Ludolphus E. Thompson, John N. Cole, James O. Guthrie, William L. Cuninggim, John T. Finlayson, Charles W. Cain, Robert L. Warlick, William L. Grissom, John H. Hall, Clayter W. Smith, Charles O. DuRant, Barna B. Holder, Isaac A. White, Jacob A. Lee, Barzilia C. Allred, Robert P. Troy, John E. Underwood, James

M. Ashby, John B. Hurley, Roderick B. John, Frank M. Shamburger, Thomas J. Dailey, Oliver Ryder, Miles M. McFarland, John A. Hornaday, Conder P. Jerome, William W. Rose, George B. Perry, Erskine Pope, William S. Davis, Joseph A. Green, William A. Forbes, William H. Townsend, Nathan H. Guyton, John D. Pegram, Charles W. Robinson, Thomas N. Ivey, Daniel C. Geddie, James G. Johnson, William H. Puckett, George F. Smith, Henry B. Anderson, James M. Lowder, Hampton McR. Jackson, Leonidas M. Chaffin, George T. Simmons, Henderson Cole, John J. Barker, John H. Shore, Magruder H. Tuttle, Eli C. Sell, Charles F. Sherrill, Louland S. Etheridge, Neill McK. Watson, Edwin C. Glenn, Daniel Reid, James H. M. Giles, Milton D. Hix, Robert H. Broom, Richard F. Taylor, Asa J. Parker, Henry G. Stamey.

LAY DELEGATES.

Fayetteville District—K. H. Worthy, A. A. Harrington, Jr. Rockingham District—Dr. F. E. Asbury, H. C. Wall. Wilmington District—A. J. Johnson. New Berne District—J. K. Willis. Washington District—J. Y. Pegram, S. M. S. Rollinson. Warrenton District—E. T. Clark, G. S. Prichard.

The following alternate lay delegates were announced as present:

Raleigh District—S. M. Parish in place of D. W. Bain. Durham District—J. G. Dailey in place of W. E. Ormond.

On motion of W. S. Black, W. L. Cuninggim was elected Secretary.

On motion of W. L. Cuninggim, N. M. Jurney, George T. Simmons and J. H. Hall were elected Assistant Secretaries.

On motion of W. S. Rone, the daily sessions of the Conference were ordered as follows:

Convene at 9:30 o'clock A. M., and adjourn at 1 o'clock P. M.

On motion of B. R. Hall, the farther side of the large memorial windows across the church was designated the bar of the Conference. On motion of W. S. Black, it was ordered that the Presiding Elders nominate the committees of the present session.

E. A. Yates, from the Presiding Elders, reported nominations of committees, as follows, which were confirmed:

ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

Clerical.—B. C. Allred, T. N. Ivey, W. H. Moore, G. B. Perry, H. B. Anderson, R. H. Broom, J. R. Sawyer, J. W. Jenkins, G. G. Harley.

Lay.—R. H. Whitaker, J. B. Walker, E. W. Atwater, C. B. Townsend, H. C. Moffitt, J. K. Willis, S. M. S. Rollinson, D. B. Zollicoffer, W. A. Ellison.

ON CHURCH PROPERTY.

Clerical.—B. B. Culbreth, J. H. Shore, E. Pope, D. A. Futrell, D. C. Geddie, M. M. McFarland, R. F. Taylor, T. J. Daily, J. J. Barker.

Lay.—S. M. Parish, S. S. Webb, K. H. Worthy, Dr. F. E. Asbury, W. W. Hodges, A. G. Coward, I. B. Watson, U. Vaughn, D. T. Britt.

ON TEMPERANCE.

Clerical.—J. H. Hall, D. L. Earnhardt, A. J. Parker, H. G. Stamey, W. A. Forbes, M. D. Hix, C. W. Cain, Z. T. Harrison, D. A. Watkins. Lay.—W. N. Fuller, J. G. Dailey, A. D. Muse, F. E. Asbury, J. E. Durham, L. A. Potter, I. B. Watson, G. S. Prichard, F. A. Woodard.

ON CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

W. S. Black, O. Ryder, J. E. Thompson, F. B. McCall, J. M. Ashby, C. W. Robinson, I. A. White, A. McCullen, J. H. Cordon.

ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

J. B. Hurley, G. W. Fisher, W. J. Crowson, H. C. Wall, J. L. Keen, M. H. Tuttle, S. M. S. Rollinson, J. A. Lee, T. R. Hood.

ON BIBLE CAUSE.

Clerical.—F. L. Reid, J. Sandford, H. M. Jackson, L. S. Etheridge, J. G. Johnson, W. H. Townsend, J. T. Finlayson, W. L. Grissom, J. D. Pegram.

Lay.—J. P. Hunt, R. J. Featherstone, A. A. Harrington, Jr., J. T. John, A. J. Johnson, J. Q. Jackson, J. Y. Pegram. E. T. Clark, T. R. Hood.

ON MEMOIRS.

J. N. Cole, D. H. Tuttle, J. T. Gibbs, W. S. Black, F. L. Reid, W. S. Chaffin.

On motion of F. L. Reid, W. S. Rone, B. R. Hall, M. D. Hix, W. F. Kornegay and O. R. Rand were appointed the Committee on Public Worship and Introductions.

At his request, M. L. Wood was excused from the Board of Education and the Committee of Examination of the Fourth Year, and N. E. Coltrane was put on said Committee.

At his request, R. B. John was excused from the Committee of Examination of the First Year, and on his motion, W. S. Davis, G. F. Smith, and J. O. Guthrie were appointed to fill the vacancies on this Committee.

A communication from Barbee and Smith, Book Agents of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Books and Periodicals.

T. J. Gattis, Agent of Colportage and Sunday-schools of this Conference, presented his report; which was read and referred to the Board of Colportage.

Question 20 was called, viz.: "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?"

The following elders passed the examination of character:

Raleigh District.—Jesse A. Cuninggim. Durham District..—Edwin A. Yates. Fayetteville District.—John T. Gibbs. Rockingham District.—M. I. Wood. Wilmington District.—F. D. Swindell. New Berne District.—W. S. Rone. Washington District.—R. B. John. Warrenton District.—S. D. Adams. Wilson District.—G. A. Oglesby.

Under the same call, the following passed the examination of character, and their applications for a superannuated relation were, on motion in each case, referred to the Committee on Conference Relations, viz.: Miles Foy, James B. Bailey, George E. Wyche, Marcus C. Thomas, Nathan A. Hooker, Joseph H. Wheeler, Thomas C. Lovin, T. Page Ricaud, Joseph B. Martin; and the following passed the examination of character and their applications for a supernumerary relation were, on motion in each case, referred to the Committee on Conference Relation, viz.: Isaac W. Avent, William H. Call, James B. Bobbitt, Richard W. Townsend; and the following passed the examination of character, viz.: David R. Bruton, Thomas B. Reeks, J. C. Crisp, E. L. Pell.

A communication from Rev. Joseph H. Wheeler was read to the Conference, and on motion of G. A. Oglesby, the Secretary was requested to make suitable response thereto in the name of the Conference.

When under Question 20, viz.: "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" the name of John T. Abernethy was called, his Presiding Elder, W. S. Rone, stated that rumors involving the moral character of John T. Abernethy having reached him, he had appointed a committee of five elders who, after an investigation, had found a trial necessary, formulated a bill of charges and specifications, and had appointed R. A. Willis to prosecute the case before the Conference. the Bishop appointed the following Committee of trial, viz.: W. S. Davis, L. E. Thompson, V. A. Sharpe, J. W. Jenkins, R. F. Bumpass, B. C. Allred, A. R. Raven, J. Sandford, N. E. Coltrane, C. W. Cain, J. A. Lee, T. J. Dailey, J. N. Cole, with W. H. Moore as its president. John H. Hall, one of the Assistant Secretaries of the Conference, was designated as the Secretary to the Committee.

Question 12 was called, viz.: "What traveling preach-

ers are elected elders?" Charles F. Sherrill passed the examination of character, and, having been approved by the Examining Committee, was elected to elder's orders.

Question 2 was called, viz.: "Who remain on trial?" Nathan H. D. Wilson, Kenneth D. Holmes, Lucius S. Massey, E. E. Rose, Michael Bradshaw, John C. McCall, Jesse D. Bundy, Elias B. Wilcox, Jesse J. Porter, Jesse W. Martin, Jesse T. Draper passed the examination of character, were approved by the Examining Committee, continued on trial, and advanced to the class of the second year.

Revs. J. R. Brooks, D. D., and A. P. Tyer, of the Western North Carolina Conference, were introduced.

The hour of I o'clock having arrived, the Conference adjourned.

Benediction by Bishop Duncan.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, December 15th, 1892.

The Conference convened at 9:30 o'clock A. M., Bishop Duncan in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Rev. T. Page Ricaud.

The journal of yesterday's session was read and approved. The roll was called and the following responded, in addition to those on yesterday:

Clerical.—William C. Norman, Rufus C. Beaman, James E. Bristowe, Francis B. McCall, Isaac A. White, Alpheus McCullen, James M. Ashby, Daniel H. Tuttle, George W. Fisher, Robert B. Gilliam, John R. Sawyer, Magruder H. Tuttle.

Lay.—Fayetteville District.—A. D. Muse.

Wilmington District .- J. E. Durham.

New Berne District.-A. G. Coward.

Washington District.-I. B. Watson.

Warrenton District.-Uriah Vaughn.

Wilson District.-F. A. Woodard, D.T. Britt, W. A. Ellison, T. R. Hood.

On motion of E. A. Yates, the calling of the roll was dispensed with after to-day.

Question 3 was called, viz.: "Who are discontinued?" Jesse F. Usrey passed the examination of character, and, on motion of G. A. Oglesby, was discontinued at his own request.

Revs. L. W. Crawford and P. L. Groome, of the Western North Carolina Conference, and Thomas H. Law, Superintendent of the American Bible Society for North and South Carolina, were introduced.

Question 8 was called, viz.: "What traveling preachers are elected deacons?

Jasper B. Thompson, George W. Starling, William B. Moore, John A. Rouse, John C. Jones passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were elected to deacon's orders.

William Y. Everton, George G. Harley, George D. Langston passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were advanced to the class of the third year.

Nathaniel L. Seabolt passed the examination of character, elected to deacon's orders, and continued in the class of the second year.

William F. Galloway passed the examination of character, and having failed to appear before the Examining Committee, was continued in the class of the third year.

Question 12 was called, viz.: "What traveling preachers are elected elders?"

John H. Shore, Magruder H. Tuttle, Eli C. Sell, Neill McK. Watson, Louland S. Etheridge, Daniel Reid, Edwin C. Glenn, George T. Simmons and James G. Johnson passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were elected to elder's orders.

William H. Puckett and John R. Sawyer passed the

examination of character, and having failed to appear before the Examining Committee, were continued in the class of the fourth year.

John J. Barker passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, was advanced to the class of the fourth year.

When the name of Henderson Cole was called, the Presiding Elder, R. B. John, stated that he had surrendered his credentials and withdrawn from the ministry of our church.

On motion of R. B. John, leave of absence was granted J. R. Sawyer.

Rev. J. F. Crowell, President of Trinity College, presented his report, which was, on motion of E. A. Yates, referred to the Board of Education, and afterward to be returned and read to the Conference.

A communication from I. G. John, Secretary of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was read and referred to the Board of Missions.

A communication from David Morton, Secretary of the Board of Church Extension of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was read and referred to the Board of Church Extension.

A communication from W. G. E. Cunnyngham, Sunday-school Editor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was presented and referred to the Sunday-school Board.

On motion of F. A. Bishop, J. T. Finlayson and J. E. Thompson were added to the Board of Missions.

Question I was called, viz.: "Who are admitted on trial?"

Allison Lee Ormond, Burlington Circuit, Durham District;

Doctor N. Caviness, Carr Church Station, Durham District;

Walter H. Willis, Maxton and Caledonia Circuit, Rockingham District;

James H. Frizelle, Prospect Circuit, Rockingham District; Thomas H. Sutton, Clinton Circuit, Wilmington District;

William A. Jenkins, Fifth Street Station, Wilmington District;

Marion T. Plyler, Centenary Station, New Berne District;

James P. Pate, Goldsboro Circuit, New Berne District; Julian L. Rumley, Littleton Circuit, Warrenton District; Samuel T. Moyle, Spring Hope Circuit, Wilson District; and

John W. Wallace, Tarboro Station and Mission, Wilson District,

having been recommended by their respective Quarterly Conferences, and approved by the Examining Committee upon the course of study, were admitted on trial.

On motion of M. L. Wood, permission was granted to the Presiding Elder to employ William C. Haltom as a supply.

Question 10 was called, viz.: "What local preachers are elected deacons?"

Thomas H. Walters, Laurinburg Station, Rockingham District;

Jesse J. Porter, Dare Circuit, Washington District;

Julian L. Rumley, Littleton Circuit, Warrenton District; Samuel T. Moyle, Spring Hope Circuit, Wilson District, having been recommended by their respective Quarterly Conferences, were elected to deacon's orders.

Question 14 was called, viz.: "What local preachers are elected elders?"

James A. Edwards, Snow Hill Circuit, New Berne District, having been recommended by his Quarterly Conference, was elected to elder's orders.

On motion of W. L. Cuninggim, George S. Prichard, I. B. Watson, S. M. Parish, N. McK. Watson, W. W. Rose, J. L. Keen, J. K. Willis, H. C. Wall, H. McR. Jackson were elected Statistical Secretaries; and Alpheus McCullen and Erskine Pope, Assistant Secretaries, and designated as Secretaries to the Committee of Trial in the case of John T. Abernethy.

James M. Byrd, a minister in the Free-Will Baptist Church, having been received into the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was, upon the recommendation of the Quarterly Conference of the Whiteville Circuit, Wilmington District, recognized as an elder.

Lemon H. Joyner, Jr., a minister in the Missionary Baptist Church, having been received into the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was, upon the recommendation of the Quarterly Conference of the Kenly Circuit, Wilson District, after taking the ordination vows of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, received into full connection and his orders as an elder recognized.

J. A. Cuninggim presented to the Conference the credentials of D. P. Meacham, a local elder, who, after due process of trial, had been expelled from the ministry and the church.

B. R. Hall presented to the Conference from Mr. J. Y. Joyner, Superintendent of the Public Schools in Goldsboro, an invitation to the Conference to visit the schools.

On motion of E. A. Yates, B. R. Hall was requested to return suitable reply to Mr. Joyner, expressing the appreciation of the Conference of his invitation.

On motion of L. L. Nash, the time of the Conference session had been extended to finish the consideration of the case of Lemon H. Joyner, Jr., and at 1:15 the Conference adjourned.

Benediction by Rev. M. C. Thomas.

THIRD DAY.

FRIDAY, December 16th, 1892.

The Conference convened at 9:30 o'clock A. M., Bishop Duncan in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Rev. E. A. Yates, D.D.

The journal of yesterday's session was read and approved. The following alternate lay delegates were announced as present:

Raleigh Dtstrict.—J. P. Hunt in place of W. H. P. Jenkins. Warrenton District.—Rev. Wm. Grant in place of Dr. D. B. Zollicoffer.

Question 5 was called, viz.: "Who are re-admitted?" None.

Question I was again called, viz.: "Who are admitted on trial?"

John R. Newlin, Siler City Circuit, Fayetteville District; and

Henry E. Tripp, Swan Quarter Circuit, Washington District,

having been recommended by their respective Quarterly Conferences, and approved by the Examining Committee upon the course of study, were admitted on trial.

On motion of F. L. Reid, it was ordered that 3 o'clock P. M., Sunday, be set apart for memorial services.

The reports of R. P. Troy, the President, and of the Committee of the Wesleyan Female College at Murfreesboro, N. C., of J. M. Rhodes, President of the Littleton Female College, and of Dr. B. F. Dixon, President of Greensboro Female College, were presented to the Conference and referred to the Board of Education.

On motion in each case, the applications of E. L. Pell

and T. B. Reeks, who had previously passed the examination of character, were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a supernumerary relation, and the application of David R. Bruton, who had previously passed the examination of character, was referred to the same committee for a superannuated relation.

Rev. B. F. Dixon, President of Greensboro Female College; Rev. W. R. Lambuth, one of the Secretaries of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South; Rev. T. R. Sampson, Secretary of Foreign Mission Board of the Synod of Presbyterian Church, North Carolina, and Rev. Solomon Pool, D.D., of the Western North Carolina Conference, were introduced.

On motion of J. A. Cuninggim, the Bishop was requested to draw his draft on the Treasurer of the Conference Trustees for two hundred and fifty-nine dollars and forty-three cents in favor of the Treasurer of Joint Board of Finance.

Question 7 was called, viz.: "Who are deacons of one year?"

Milton D. Hix, Robert H. Broom, R. F. Taylor, Asa J. Parker, Henry G. Stamey, James H. M. Giles passed the examination of character, and having been approved by the Examining Committee, were advanced to the class of the fourth year.

Question 6 was called, viz.: "Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?"

The Bishop announced that Thomas W. Guthrie, Samuel P. Douglass, Thomas W. S. Parker had been received in elder's orders by transfer from the Western North Carolina Conference, and William E. Edmonson in elder's orders from the Pacific Conference.

Question 10 was again called, viz.: "What local preachers are elected deacons?"

William A. Jenkins, Fifth Street Station, Wilmington

District, having been recommended by his Quarterly Conference, was elected to deacon's orders.

Question 20 was again called, viz.: "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?"

The following elders passed the examination of character:

John N. Cole, Rufus C. Beaman, William H Moore, William B. Doub, William C. Norman, Robert A. Willis, W. S. Davis, Alpheus McCullen, J. H. Cordon, J. D. Pegram, D. A. Watkins, W. W. Rose, L. M. Chaffin, J. O. Guthrie, W. S. Chaffin.

On motion of F. L. Reid, the resolution regarding evangelism, introduced by E. A. Yates and J. T. Gibbs, was referred to a committee of five.

The Bishop appointed the following committee, viz.: E. A. Yates, F. L. Reid, W. C. Norman, D. R. Bruton and F. A. Woodard.

Question 4 was called, viz.: "Who are admitted into full connection?"

J. B. Thompson, George W. Starling, William B. Moore, John A. Rouse, John C. Jones, William Y. Everton, George G. Harley, George D. Langston, William F. Galloway having passed the examination of character and been approved by the Examining Committee, were examined by the Bishop in open Conference, and admitted into full connection.

On motion of G. A. Oglesby, leave of absence was granted I. O. Guthrie.

The collection taken at Bishop Duncan's request for the aid of a preacher in the Northwest, amounted to \$70.35.

The hour of I o'clock having arrived, the Conference adjourned.

Benediction by Rev. J. R. Brooks, D. D.

FOURTH DAY-Morning Session.

SATURDAY, December 17th, 1892.

The Conference convened at 9:30 o'clock, Bishop Duncan in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Rev. P. L. Herman.

The journal of yesterday's session was read and approved. Question 20 was again called, viz.: "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?"

The following elders passed the examination of character:

G. B. Perry, D. A. Futrell, J. T. Lyon, A. D. Betts, F. B. McCall, N. M. Jurney, F. A. Bishop, G. W. Fisher, J. E. Underwood, D. L. Earnhardt, T. N. Ivey, J. M. Lowder, Jonathan Sanford, R. J. Moorman, M. J. Hunt, L. L. Nash, T. J. Gattis, H. B. Anderson, J. L. Keen, B. C. Allred, J. M. Ashby, R. L. Warlick, A. R. Raven, W. H. Townsend, W. A. Forbes, T. J. Browning, C. P. Jerome, R. F. Bumpass, J. B. Hurley, P. L. Herman, J. H. Hall, F. L. Reid, W. S. Black, E. H. Davis, L. E. Thompson and V. A. Sharpe.

Under the same call, J. C. Crisp and T. W. Guthrie passed the examination of character and their applications for a supernumerary relation were, on motion in each case, referred to the Committee on Conference Relations; and the applications for a superannuated relation of W. S. Chaffin and C. W. Smith, who had previously passed the examination of character, were, on motion, referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

W. L. Grissom presented the report of the Committee on the Bible Cause, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 1 of Appendix.)

F. A. Bishop presented a resolution from the Board of Missions regarding the debt of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, which, after some discussion was, upon motion of J. A. Cuninggim, recommitted to the Board for further consideration.

Rev. W. R. Lambuth, Missionary Secretary, made an address concerning the debt, after which pledges and cash to the amount of \$411.20 were secured.

On motion of F. L. Reid, it was ordered that when the Conference adjourns it do so to meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

W. L. Grissom presented the report of the Board of Colportage, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 2 of Appendix.)

F. L. Reid presented the report of the Special Committee on Evangelism, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 3 of Appendix.)

W. S. Black moved reconsideration of the order of the Conference that it meet at 3 o'clock this P. M.

The hour of I o'clock having arrived, on motion of F. L. Reid, the time was extended in order to finish the consideration of the motion to reconsider. The Conference refused to reconsider the motion.

Rev. James Atkins, D. D., President of Emory and Henry College, and member of the Holston Conference, and the Rev. J. H. Edwards, pastor of the Baptist Church in Goldsboro, were introduced.

At I o'clock and Io minutes, on motion of B. R. Hall, the Conference adjourned.

Benediction by Rev. W. R. Lambuth.

FOURTH DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

SATURDAY, December 17th, 1892.

The Conference convened at 3 o'clock, Rev. J. A. Cuninggim, D.D., in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Rev. F. M. Shamburger.

The journal of the morning's session was read and approved.

W. N. Fuller submitted a report from the Committee on Temperance, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 4 of Appendix.)

J. L. Keen submitted the report from the Committee on District Conference Records, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 5 of Appendix.)

Question 17 was called, viz.: "Who are supernumerary?"

W. S. Black, from the Committee on Conference Relations, submitted a report, recommending that Isaac W. Avent, Thomas B. Reeks, James B. Bobbitt, Richard W. Townsend, Edward L. Pell, William H. Call, James C. Crisp and Thomas W. Guthrie be granted a supernumerary relation, which was adopted.

Question 18 was called, viz.: "Who are superannuated?"

W. S. Black, from the Committee on Conference Relations, submitted a report, recommending that Miles Foy, James B. Bailey, George E. Wyche, Marcus C. Thomas, Nathan A. Hooker, Joseph H. Wheeler, Thomas C. Lovin, T. Page Ricaud, Joseph B. Martin, David R. Bruton, Washington S. Chaffin and Clayter W. Smith be granted a superannuated relation, which was adopted.

Bishop Duncan arrived and took the chair.

Question 20 was again called, viz.: "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?"

The following elders passed the examination of character:

C. O. DuRant, J. W. Jenkins, D. H. Tuttle, W. L. Cuninggim, R. P. Troy, J. A. Green, W. L. Grissom, T. J. Dailey, L. J. Holden, J. A. Lee, B. B. Holder, Z. T. Harrison, Erskine Pope, J. M. Rhodes, Philip Greening, N. E. Coltrane, L. L. Johnson, H. McR. Jackson, J. A. Hornaday,

W. J. Crowson, J. E. Thompson, G. F. Smith, N. H. Guyton, J. T. Finlayson, I. A. White, C. W. Cain, J. E. Bristowe, F. M. Shamburger, B. R. Hall, M. M. McFarland, R. B. Gilliam, C. W. Robinson.

Question 3 was again called, viz.: "Who are discontinued?"

Major T. Best passed the examination of character, and, on motion of W. S. Rone, was discontinued at his own request.

On motion of G. A. Oglesby, the Conference adjourned, with benediction by Bishop Duncan.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON, December 18th, 1892.

The Conference convened at 3 o'clock, Bishop Duncan in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Bishop Duncan, assisted by Rev. R. A. Willis.

Question 19 was called, viz.: "What preachers have died during the year?"

Answer: Thomas C. Moses, Robert O. Burton, Samuel V. Hovle, J. W. North and J. G. Nelson.

Memoirs of them were read respectively by W. S. Chaffin, J. N. Cole, J. T. Gibbs, W. S. Black, D. H. Tuttle. (Documents Nos. 6—10 of Appendix.)

A memoir of Donald W. Bain, former Secretary of the Conference, was read by F. L. Reid. (Document No. 11 of Appendix.)

Remarks in eulogy of D. W. Bain and R. O. Burton were made by J. H. Cordon and J. M. Rhodes.

After the sacrament of the Lord's Supper, the Conference adjourned with benediction by Bishop Duncan.

FIFTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

Monday, December 19th, 1892.

The Conference convened at 9:30 o'clock, Bishop Duncan in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Rev. J. F. Crowell.

The journal of Saturday afternoon session and of the memorial service of yesterday afternoon was read and approved.

J. B. Hurley presented the report of the Board of Education.

Rev. J. F. Crowell, of the Western North Carolina Conference, was introduced to the Conference and made an address upon the report.

On motion of F. L. Reid, the report was adopted. (Document No. 12 of Appendix.)

Rev. James Atkins, D.D., representing Rev. W. M. Hayes, the Commissioner of Education for the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church in America, presented the cause to the Conference, and requested the appointment of a committee to take charge of this work in the Conference. The Conference ordered the appointment of the committee, and the Bishop appointed F. L. Reid, T. J. Jarvis and W. C. Norman. Collected for this cause \$57.49.

N. M. Jurney submitted the report of the Joint Board of Finance, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 13 of Appendix.)

The funds apportioned by the Board were paid to the claimants, or their representatives, in open Conference.

On motion of W. S. Rone, it was ordered that \$50 of the funds in the hands of the Joint Board of Finance be appropriated to Mrs. Joseph G. Nelson.

W. C. Norman introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That in accepting the offer of Mr. B. N. Duke, to contribute annually for the next three years \$7,500 to aid in defraying the current expenses of Trinity College, we, as a Conference, do express our hearty appreciation of his liberality, and extend to him our thanks for his timely aid.

(Signed)

W. C. NORMAN,

W. S. BLACK,

W. S. RONE,

W. W. Rose,

N. M. JURNEY.

W. S. Black introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That we, as an Annual Conference, recommend to the favorable consideration of the next General Assembly of this State, the establishment of a State Reformatory for young criminals.

(Signed)

W. S. BLACK,

W. S. RONE,

F. E. ASBURY.

H. B. Anderson submitted the report of the Committee on Books and Periodicals, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 14 of Appendix.)

R. C. Beaman introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Conference are due and are hereby tendered to Dr. F. L. Reid for his faithful and efficient services in securing the furniture for Trinity College.

(Signed)

R. C. BEAMAN,

G. A. OGLESBY.

W. B. Doub submitted the report of the Board of Missions, which was read.

On motion of J. N. Cole, it was ordered that \$250 be added to the appropriation for Domestic Missions, and tha t

it be appropriated to Fifth Street Station, Wilmington District.

So amended, the report was adopted. (Document No. 16 of Appendix.)

R. C. Beaman introduced the following resolution, which was read and unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Conference are due and are hereby tendered to the good people of Goldsboro for their refined and elegant Christian hospitality during our stay among them, and we will ever pray that the blessing of our Father may abide with them and theirs.

(Signed)

R. C. BEAMAN, F. A. BISHOP.

D. H. Tuttle submitted the report of the Board of Church Extension, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 17 of Appendix.)

B. B. Culbreth submitted the report of the Committee on Church Property, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 15 of Appendix.)

Question 9 was called, viz.: "What traveling preachers are ordained deacons?"

Bishop Duncan announced that he ordained yesterday morning in this church,!after divine service, the following: Jasper B. Thompson, George W. Starling, William B. Moore, John A. Rouse, John C. Jones and Nathaniel L. Seabolt.

Question II was called, viz.: "What local preachers are ordained deacons?"

Bishop Duncan announced that he ordained yesterday morning in this church, after divine service, the following: Thomas H. Walters, Jesse J. Porter, Julian L. Rumley, Samuel T. Moyle and William A. Jenkins.

Question 13 was called, viz.: "What traveling preachers are ordained elders?"

Bishop Duncan announced that he ordained yesterday evening in this church, after divine service, the following: John H. Shore, Magruder H. Tuttle, Eli C. Sell, Neill McK. Watson, Louland S. Etheridge, Daniel Reid, George T. Simmons, James G. Johnson and Edwin C. Glenn.

Question 15 was called, viz.: "What local preachers are ordained elders?"

Bishop Duncan announced that he ordained yesterday evening in this church, after divine service, James A. Edwards.

Questions were called and answered as follows:

Question 21: What is the number of local preachers and members in the several Circuits, Stations and Missions of the Conference?

Answer: Local preachers, 135; white members, 57,408; colored members, 23; total, 57,689.

Question 22: How many infants have been baptized during the year?

Answer: 1,116.

Question 23: How many adults have been baptized during the year?

Answer: 2,608.

Question 24: What is the number of Sunday-schools?

Answer: 592.

Question 25: What is the number of Sunday-school teachers?

Answer: 4,397.

Question 26: What is the number of Sunday-school scholars?

Answer: 33,808.

Question 27: What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers?

Answer: \$5,500.

Question 28: What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

Answer: Received on foregoing account—	
From Districts \$4,202	58
From North Carolina Conference Trust Fund 259	45
From Calvin Fund 22	95
From Publishing House 600	00
Amount from last year 41	91

\$5,126 89

Distributed to claimants, \$4,974.30. Miscellaneous expenses, loss through Wilmington Bank, and funds on hand, \$152.59.

Question 29: What has been contributed for Missions?

Answer—Foreign Missions————

Domestic Missions———

6,106 24

Total\$ 15,951 67

Question 30: What has been contributed for Church Extension?

Answer: \$1,892.06.

Question 31: What is the number and what is the estimated value of church edifices?

Answer: Number, 573; value, \$697,685.

Question 32: What is the number and the estimated value of parsonages?

Answer: Number, 94; value, \$118,670.

Question 33: What are the educational statistics?

Trinity College: Number of professors, 12; number of students, 156; value of buildings, \$182,000; value of productive endowment, \$33,000.

Wesleyan Female College, Murfreesboro: Number of teachers, 6; number of students, 46; value of property, \$20,000.

Littleton Female College: Number of teachers, 13; number of students, 80; value of property, \$12,000.

Burlington Academy: Number of teachers, 7; number of students, 125; value of property, \$4,000.

Jonesboro High School: Number of teachers, 4; number of students, 64; value of property, \$2,500.

Richlands Academy: Statistics not known.

F. L. Reid submitted the report of the Committee on Work among the Colored People, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 18 of Appendix.)

Question 20 was again called, viz.: "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?"

W. H. Moore presented the following report:

The Committee appointed to try the case of the Church against Rev. J. T. Abernethy, after long, patient and prayerful investigation of the case, beg leave to report that they do not find the charge of immorality sustained.

This finding is by the following vote:

Sustained.—F. B. McCall, V. A. Sharpe, C. W. Caiu, J. A. Lee, John N. Cole, J. Sandford.

Not Sustained.—W. S. Davis, J. W. Jenkins, R. F. Bumpass, B. C. Allred, A. R. Raven, T. J. Dailey, N. E. Coltrane.

The Committee does find so much of specification *second* sustained by the evidence presented as to convict him, the said J. T. Abernethy, of gross imprudence, and they recommend that he be reprimanded by the presiding Bishop at the Bar of the Conference.

W. S. Davis,
J. N. Cole,
F. B. McCall,
J. Sandford,
V. A. Sharpe,
R. F. Bumpass,
J. W. Jenkins,
C. W. Cain,
J. A. Lee,
N. E. Coltrane.

The Bishop having called J. T. Abernethy to the Bar of the Conference and administered the reprimand called for in the report of the Committee, by vote of the Conference he passed the examination of character.

Question 16 was called, viz.: "Who are located this year?"

W. S. Rone moved that John T. Abernethy be located. The hour of 1 o'clock being near at hand, on motion of V. A. Sharpe, it was ordered that the time be extended in order to finish the consideration of this motion.

On motion of F. L. Reid, it was ordered that when the Conference adjourns it do so to meet at 3:30 o'clock P. M.

The motion of W. S. Rone, that J. T. Abernethy be located, prevailed.

On motion of D. H. Tuttle, it was ordered that the time be further extended in order to attend to a matter in behalf of the women.

F. D. Swindell, in behalf of the women, presented a purse to Bishop Duncan, and the Bishop made suitable reply.

On motion of F. L. Reid, the Conference adjourned. Benediction by Bishop Duncan.

FIFTH DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

MONDAY, December 19th, 1892.

The Conference convened at 3:30, Bishop Duncan in the chair.

The opening religious services were conducted by Rev. W. S. Davis.

The journal of the morning session was read and approved.

N. E. Coltrane submitted the report of the Sunday-school Board, which was read and adopted. (Document No. 19 of Appendix.)

On motion of J. A. Cuninggim, the Bishop was requested to appoint W. S. Black, Superintendent of the Orphan Asylum at Oxford, N. C.

Question 34 was called, viz.: "Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?"

L. L. Nash nominated Fifth Street Station, Wilmington;

J. N. Cole presented an invitation from Edenton Street, Raleigh;

B. R. Hall nominated St. Paul's Church, Goldsboro.

A majority of the votes being cast in favor of Fifth Street Station, Wilmington, on motion of F. L. Reid, the vote was made unanimous.

W. S. Rone introduced the following resolution, which was read and unanimously adopted by a rising vote:

Resolved, That this Conference has greatly enjoyed the presence, able pulpit ministrations and courteous presiding in the chair, and counsels at this session of Bishop W. W. Duncan; that we pray the richest blessing of the Great Head of the Church on his life and labors, and that we will gladly welcome his coming whenever at any time he can be with us again, either in our annual session or our general work.

(Signed)

W. S. RONE, JNO. N. COLE,

On motion of F. A. Bishop, a vote of thanks was tendered to the Secretary.

The Bishop announced the Joint Board of Finance:

Clerical.—V. A. Sharpe, D. L. Earnhardt, G. B. Perry, N. M. Jurney, W. H. Puckett, W. C. Norman, C. W. Robinson, W. S. Davis, R. P. Troy.

Lay.—T. C. Williams, W. H. Branson, J. M. Lamb, F. B. Gibson, W. J. Parker, T. A. Green, J. A. Arthur, H. C. Spiers, N. M. Lawrence.

The Conference having concluded its business, the journal of the afternoon session was read and approved.

The Bishop announced hymn number 232,

"And let our bodies part,
To diff'rent climes repair;"

which was sung.

Rev. E. A. Yates, D. D., led in prayer, and question 35 was called, viz.: "Where are the preachers stationed this year?"

Bishop Duncan announced the appointments. (See next page.)

The Conference at 5:30 o'clock adjourned sine die. Benediction by Bishop Duncan.

APPOINTMENTS.

The figures opposite the names indicate the years of service, as the Secretary could be informed of changes in names of charges,

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

3-J. A. CUNINGGIM ----- Presiding Elder.

RALEIGH-Edenton Street: J. N. Cole, 2.

RALEIGH—Central Church: J. B. Hurley, 2; J. B. Bobbitt, sup.

RALEIGH-City Mission and Brooklyn: J. J. Barker, I.

CARY CIRCUIT-B. C. Allred, I.

ROLESVILLE CIRCUIT—K. D. Holmes, 1.

YOUNGSVILLE CIRCUIT-W. B. Moore, I.

FRANKLINTON CIRCUIT—N. H. D. Wilson, 2; E. I. Pell, sup.

LOUISBURG STATION—L. E. Thompson, 2.

TAR RIVER CIRCUIT—B. B. Culbreth, 2.

GRANVILLE CIRCUIT-V. A. Sharpe, 3.

OXFORD STATION-J. H. Cordon, I.

OXFORD CIRCUIT-P. L. Herman, I.

RALEIGH CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE-F. L. Reid, Editor.

OXFORD ORPHAN ASYLUM-W. S. Black, Superintendent.

DURHAM DISTRICT.

3-E. A. YATES ----- Presiding Elder.

DURHAM-Trinity: R. C. Beaman, 2.

DURHAM-Main Street: F. A. Bishop, 3.

DURHAM-Carr Church: L. L. Johnson, 1.

DURHAM CIRCUIT-J. W. Jenkins, I.

HILLSBORO AND CEDAR GROVE STATION-D. N. Caviness, I.

CALDWELL CIRCUIT-E. E. Rose, 1.

CHAPEL HILL STATION-N. M. Watson, 2.

LEASBURG CIRCUIT-L. S. Massey, 2.

ROXBORO CIRCUIT-M. H. Tuttle, I.

MOUNT TIRZAH CIRCUIT-D. L. Earnhardt, 2.

BURLINGTON STATION-J. E. Underwood, I.

BURLINGTON CIRCUIT—A. L. Ormond, I.

ALAMANCE CIRCUIT-M. J. Hunt, 2.

MILTON CIRCUIT-J. H. Shore, 4.

YANCEYVILLE CIRCUIT—G. W. Fisher, 2.

CONFERENCE COLPORTER-T. J. Gattis.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

4-J. T. GIBBS .---- Presiding Elder.

FAVETTEVILLE—Hay Street and Campbelton Mission: J. T. Lyon, 1; T. H. Sutton, 1.

CUMBERLAND CIRCUIT-J. D. Bundy, 2.

COKESBURY CIRCUIT—D. A. Futrell, 1.

SAMPSON CIRCUIT-Jesse W. Martin, I.

LILLINGTON CIRCUIT—Michael Bradshaw, 2.

BUCKHORN CIRCUIT—A. J. Parker, 1; I. W. Avent, sup.

CAPE FEAR CIRCUIT-W. F. Galloway, I.

PITTSBORO CIRCUIT—C. W. Robinson, I.

HAW RIVER CIRCUIT-J. H. Hall, I.

DEEP RIVER CIRCUIT—H. M. Jackson, 2.

SILER CITY CIRCUIT-J. R. Newlin, I.

CARTHAGE CIRCUIT—J. A. Lee, 1.

ABERDEEN CIRCUIT—W. J. Crowson, 2.

JONESBORO CIRCUIT-Jno. E. Thompson, 3.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

I-W. H. MOORE-----Presiding Elder.

ROCKINGHAM STATION-W. B. Doub, 2; T. W. Guthrie, sup.

ROCKINGHAM CIRCUIT-H. G. Stamey, 3.

RICHMOND CIRCUIT-E. B. Wilcox, 2.

MT. GILEAD CIRCUIT-G. B. Perry, 3.

PEKIN CIRCUIT-J. M. Lowder, 1.

PROSPECT CIRCUIT—J. H. Frizelle, I.

ASBURY CIRCUIT-J. B. Thompson, I.

ST. JOHN STATION-M. L. Wood, I.

LAURINBURG STATION-R. J. Moorman, 2.

MAXTON AND CALEDONIA STATION-C. W. Cain, I.

MAXTON CIRCUIT—A. D. Betts, 2.

LUMBERTON CIRCUIT-F. B. McCall, 3.

ROBESON CIRCUIT—J. Sanford, I; R. W. Townsend, sup.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

I-W. S. RONE-----Presiding Elder.

WILMINGTON-Grace Church: W. C. Norman, 2.

WILMINGTON—Fifth Street: L. L. Nash, 2.

WILMINGTON-Bladen Street: J. C. McCall, I.

WILMINGTON-Market Street: M. T. Plyler, I.

SCOTT'S HILL CIRCUIT—Erskine Pope, 1.

ONSLOW CIRCUIT—J. L. Keen, 3.

MAGNOLIA CIRCUIT—D. C. Geddie, 1.

KENANSVILLE CIRCUIT—A. R. Raven, 2.

CLINTON CIRCUIT—Philip Greening, 1.

BLADEN CIRCUIT—L. M. Chaffin, 1.

ELIZABETH CIRCUIT—W. H. Townsend, 2.

WHITEVILLE STATION—W. A. Forbes, 1; J. C. Crisp, sup.

COLUMBUS CIRCUIT—R. F. Taylor, 1.

WACCAMAW CIRCUIT—T. J. Browning, 1.

BRUNSWICK CIRCUIT—Daniel Reid, 1.

SOUTHPORT STATION—Oliver Ryder, 1.

CARVER'S CREEK CIRCUIT—L. S. Etheridge, 1.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

I-F. D. SWINDELL-----Presiding Elder.

NEW BERNE-Centenary: R. A. Willis, 4. NEW BERNE—Hancock Street: To be supplied by J. F. Butt, 2. GOLDSBORO-St. Paul: B. R. Hall, 4. Goldsboro-St. John: M. D. Hix, 2. MT. OLIVE CIRCUIT-N. M. Jurney, I. LAGRANGE CIRCUIT-R. H. Broom, 2. SNOW HILL CIRCUIT-N. E. Coltrane, I. KINSTON STATION-F. M. Shamburger, 3. GRIFTON CIRCUIT-J. C. Jones, I. CRAVEN CIRCUIT-J. G. Johnson, 4. JONES CIRCUIT—R. B. Gilliam, 4. CARTERET CIRCUIT-George W. Starling, I. MOREHEAD STATION-W. E. Edmonson, I. BEAUFORT STATION-R. F. Bumpass, I. PAMLICO CIRCUIT—To be supplied by F. S. Becton, 3. STRAIT'S CIRCUIT-J. P. Pate, I. CORE SOUND MISSION-To be supplied by J. M. Carroway, 2. GOLDSBORO CIRCUIT-M. M. McFarland, 2.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

2-R. B. John------Presiding Elder.

Washington Station—W. S. Davis, 3; W. H. Call, sup. Greenville Station—G. F. Smith, 2. Greenville Circuit—R. L. Warlick, 1. Jamesville Circuit—H. E. Tripp, 1.

PLYMOUTH STATION—W. H. WILLIS, I.
ROPER CITY STATION—J. T. Finlayson, 2.
COLUMBIA CIRCUIT—I. A. White, I.
DARE CIRCUIT—J. J. Porter, 2.
ROANOKE ISLAND CIRCUIT—J. R. Sawyer, 2.
KENNEKEET CIRCUIT—J. A. ROUSE, 2.
OCRACOKE AND HATTERAS CIRCUIT—D. A. Watkins, I.
MATTAMUSKEET CIRCUIT—J. D. Pegram, I.
FAIRFIELD STATION—C. P. Jerome, I.
SWAN QUARTER CIRCUIT—G. D. Langston, 2.
PANTEGO CIRCUIT—L. H. Joyner, Jr., I.
WASHINGTON CIRCUIT—J. W. Wallace, I.
AURORA CIRCUIT—J. E. Bristowe, 2.
VANCEBORO CIRCUIT—N. I. Seabolt, I.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

3-S. D. Adams-----Presiding Elder.

Warrenton Circuit—Alpheus McCullen, 3.

Warren Circuit—C. O. DuRant, 2; T. B. Reeks, sup.
Ridgeway Circuit—J. A. Hornaday, 1.

Henderson Station—W. L. Cuninggim, 3.

Littleton Circuit—J. L. Rumley, 1.

Weldon Station—J. A. Green, 2.

Roanoke Circuit—J. T. Draper, 2.

Halifax Circuit—E. H. Davis, 1; W. L. Grissom, 3.

Garysburg Circuit—T. J. Dailey, 2.

Northampton Circuit—L. J. Holden, 3.

Meherrin Circuit—J. H. M. Giles, 3.

Murfreesboro Station—R. P. Troy, 1.

Harrellsville Circuit—B. B. Holder, 2.

Lewiston Mission—To be supplied by Wm. Grant, 1.

Bertie Circuit—Z. T. Harrison, 3.

WILSON DISTRICT.

LITTLETON FEMALE COLLEGE—J. M. Rhodes, President. WESLEYAN FEMALE COLLEGE—R. P. Troy, President.

BATTLEBORO AND WHITAKER'S—H. B. Anderson, I. TARBORO STATION—D. H. Tuttle, 3.
TARBORO CIRCUIT—W. Y. Everton, I.
BETHEL CIRCUIT—G. G. Harley, I.
WILLIAMSTON AND HAMILTON STATION—E. C. Sell, I.
SOUTH EDGECOMBE CIRCUIT—E. C. Glenn, 4.
FREMONT CIRCUIT—W. W. Rose, 4.
KENLY CIRCUIT—N. H. Guyton, I.
SMITHFIELD CIRCUIT—W. H. Puckett, 3.
DUNN CIRCUIT—G. T. Simmons, I.
NEWTON GROVE CIRCUIT—W. A. Jenkins, I.
CLAYTON CIRCUIT—J. M. Ashby, I.

Transfers: S. P. Douglass, to Western North Carolina Conference. C. F. Sherrill, to Virginia Conference.

(Signed) W. W. DUNCAN, President. W. L. Cuninggim, Secretary.

APPENDIX.

[Document No. 1.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BIBLE CAUSE.

The Committee on the Bible Cause having considered the same, respectfully present for the adoption of the Conference the following:

- 1. The distribution of the Scriptures lies at the foundation of the work of evangelizing the world, and is essentially involved in the extension of Christ's kingdom among all nations. No evangelical church can, therefore, overlook or neglect this work.
- 2. The Conference gladly recognizes the faithful and efficient service that is being done in this great department of church work by its agent, the American Bible Society, in both the home and foreign field; and also the call for continued and increased effort in order to keep pace with the expansion of the foreign missionary operations of the church, the supply of immigrants coming to our land, and the children and youth who are growing up among us.
- 3. As constituents of the American Bible Society, we consider it our duty to take an active part in this important work, and would encourage our people to more earnest and practical support: Therefore,

Resolved, That we take collections some time in the month of March, 1893, for this cause, and forward the same to Rev. T. H. Law, District Superintendent North and South Carolina, Spartanburg, S. C., and report the amount raised to the Annual Conference.

W. L. GRISSOM, Chairman.

[Document No. 2.]

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF COLPORTAGE.

The Board of Colportage has carefully considered the work of our Agent of Colportage and Sunday-schools, and is very much gratified at the success which he has had during the year. The report of the Agent shows that this year has been more successful than any year-since the present system was inaugurated. Realizing the great good that is accomplished by the distribution of religious literature, we are convinced that the Agent is doing a great work for Methodism in North Carolina; and

the Board is highly gratified that the Western North Carolina Conference has, with one voice, requested that we continue united with them in this work, and that they have re-elected our present Agent. Therefore, the Board recommends the following:

Resolved, 1st, That as our General Agents at Nashville have requested that all orders for Sunday-school supplies and books in the bounds of this Conference shall be made to our Colporter and Sunday-school Agent, we do earnestly request all of our people and preachers to buy their books and Sunday-school supplies from him.

Resolved, 2d, That we recommend the Agent to employ as many efficient sub-agents as he may think necessary to supply our people with our books and periodicals.

Resolved, 3d, That it is absolutely necessary to the success of our Colportage work that prompt payments be made, and when our Agent sells books to the preachers during the year to be paid for at Conference, not one should fail to do so at that time.

Resolved, 4th, That special attention be given to the circulation of our doctrinal tracts and books on the subject of baptism.

Resolved, 5th, That we request our Presiding Bishop to reappoint the Rev. T. J. Gattis as Agent of Colportage and Sunday-schools, and we hereby pledge him our continued and hearty support in this important and responsible work.

P. L. HERMAN, Chairman.

W. L. GRISSOM, Secretary.

[Document No. 3.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM.

Your Committee to whom the question of Evangelism was referred, recommend the following for adoption by the Conference:

Resolved, That we urge our ministers and laymen to adhere to the old Methodist usages in conducting their revival meetings; that when our pastors desire help, they will arrange to aid each other in these meetings, and that we will discourage the sending of invitations to and the employment of self-constituted and unauthorized evangelists, both in our denominational and in union meetings.

F. L. REID,

W. C. NORMAN,

E. A. YATES,

D. R. BRUTON,

F. A. WOODARD.

[Document No. 4]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

Your Committee on Temperance beg leave to make the following report:

We rejoice to see the cause of temperance making so much progress in the bounds of North Carolina, and we recommend to our people that we follow the plan of prohibition that we have heretofore adopted—that is, the local option plan—and by petitioning our Legislature to pass prohibitory liquor laws within given distances of our churches and schools, thereby driving the liquor traffic from a large part of our territory. We recommend to our preachers and people to see that the rules on Temperance, in chapter 5, page 128 of our Discipline, be strictly enforced. Respectfully submitted,

D. L. EARNHARDT, Chairman.

W. N. FULLER, Secretary.

[Document No. 5.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

The Committee on District Conference Records beg leave to report as follows:

The Records of the Rockingham, Wilmington, Durham, Raleigh and Wilson Districts are in good condition. The Records of the Fayetteville District are well kept, except the erasing and re-writing in several places. The Warrenton Record is in good condition, except a few mistakes in spelling and a few grammatical errors. The Records of the Washington and New Berne Districts were not in the hands of the Committee.

J. L. KEEN, Chairman.

G. W. FISHER, Secretary.

[Document No. 6.]

MEMOIR OF REV. THOMAS C. MOSES.

The subject of this memoir was born in Franklin County, N. C., in the year 1807. In his youth and early manhood he obtained a good English and Classical education, and spent several years of his life in academical work, which he made a good success. Of the time, the place and the circumstances of his conversion, and call to the work of the Gospel Ministry, we have no certain information. However, he made application and was received on trial in the North Carolina Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, at its session held in Pittsboro, N. C., December, 1844. After travelling nine years, being admonished by his failing health, he asked the Conference to grant him a location, but they preferred to give him a superannuated relation—which he sustained a few years, and again was in the field on the effective list. He travelled until 1876, when he again took a superannuated relation, where he remained until his death, which took place December 20, 1891, at his home in Center Township, Chatham County, N. C.

Brother Moses was a consecrated man, of firm faith, deep thought, and profound piety. He regarded no work too laborious for him to do, nor any sacrifice too great for him to make that he might advance the interests of the Redeemer's kingdom among men.

We are not informed as to the time of his marriage to Miss Sally Moore, of Franklin County. She was the mother of four children, all of whom were raised and still live save one. His wife died in 1878. Two sons and one daughter still live.

Through all his long life I never heard of any stain attaching to his character. He was not slothful in business, he was fervent in spirit serving the Lord. I think of him as a sinner redeemed by the blood of Christ, justified by faith, and saved in his Father's many mansioned house, not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

W. S. CHAFFIN.

[Document No. 7.]

MEMOIR OF REV. ROBERT OSWALD BURTON, D. D.

Robert Oswald Burton was born near Lynchburg, in Campbell County, Va., June 30, 1811. He was educated at West Point Military Academy. He was twice married; the first time to Miss Elizabeth H

Joyner, March 29, 1842; the second time to Miss Mary Olivia Pearson, August 17, 1858.

He joined the Virginia Conference at Petersburg in 1833. He was ordained deacon in 1833, and elderin 1837. The following is a record of his appointments through a long and spotless ministry:

1834, Junior Preacher on Amelia Circuit.

1835, Granville Circuit.

1836, Greensboro.

1837, Salisbury.

1838-'39-'40-'41-'42, agent for Randolph-Macon College.

1843-'44, Presiding Elder on Washington District.

1845-'46, Henderson Circuit.

1847-'48, Raleigh Station.

1849-'50, Roanoke Circuit.

1851-'52-53-'54, Supernumerary on Roanoke Circuit.

1855-'56-'57-'58, Presiding Elder on Raleigh District.

In 1858 he was transferred to the Virginia Conference.

1859-'60-'61-'62, Presiding Elder on Petersburg District.

1863, Greensville Circuit.

1864, Appointed to Military Encampment, near Garysburg, N. C.

1865, Greensville Circuit.

1866-'67-'68, Union Circuit.

1869, Superintendent of Colored Work.

1870, Greensville Circuit.

In the fall of 1870, transferred to the North Carolina Conference.

1871-'72-'73, Superintendent of Colored Work.

1874-'75-'76, Roanoke Circuit.

1877, Littleton Circuit.

1878, Henderson Circuit.

1879-'So, Roanoke Circuit.

1881, Edgecombe Circuit.

1882-'83, Presiding Elder on Wilmington District.

1884, Presiding Elder on Greensboro District.

1885-'86-'87-'88, Warrenton Circuit.

1889, Ridgeway Circuit.

At the Annual Conference in Greensboro in 1889, he was placed upon the Supernumerary list, after having refused to be superannuated. In this relation he remained until the day of his death at his home in Halifax County, N. C., December 17, 1891.

Thus is compressed into a few words the technical statement of the ministerial labors of Robert O. Burton; thus are drawn the lines that mark the flow of the river of his life; but what words are sufficient to

describe the full and precious volume of that river's flow, or to paint the flowering and fruitful landscape that smiled along its banks? By what measure shall we take the height of his noble manhood, or calculate the results of his faithful and wonderful ministry? Alas, we are not sufficient for these things! But it is not difficult to fix the place of Robert O. Burton among his brethren. That place is not an ordinary one. He was one of our greatest preachers. He was one of the noblest endowed of all the watchmen that stood upon our walls; he held to his lips a trumpet that sent forth in silvery notes and sweetest cadence the messages of Mercy and the warnings of Justice with such emphasis and persuasive power as has been equaled by but few ministers of the Lord Jesus Christ. His ministry was a ministry of power. He had a wonderfully analytic mind for the teachings of the Scriptures. He seemed to comprehend, almost at a glance, the mind of the Spirit, and he delivered his sermons with all the power and passion of one under the divine conviction that he had a message "He sank the shaft down through lid and letter of the from God. Word to the sweet waters," and refreshed his own soul and then gave to others. I have never heard a minister of greater power upon the great theme of the atonement. At times his spirit seemed almost unloosed, and, "in the fetters of the flesh," he seemed to be mating with the pure essences of Heaven. He was master of an oratory that was well nigh faultless and irresistible. In the superb strength and poetical refinements of his thought, he was without a model or a And the Lord honored his ministry; thousands of souls were won to Christ by his long and successful labors. The blessed Master, who sent him out, went with him and gave him a triumphant gospel.

As a minister in *the social life* of the world, as he went into the homes of our people, he was a pattern of grace and refinement. I have never seen a man of more gallant and courteous bearing toward the Christian womanhood of our land than Robert O. Burton. He was a prince of culture and ministerial propriety.

As a friend, there was hardly a limit to the strength of his devotion. He was true, though all the world should prove false.

He was a man of very positive convictions. He often stood alone in his opinions, but he was true even when standing alone.

Through a ministry of nearly three-score years he bore himself without blot or suspicion. He received his sword from the Master and the church; he wielded it for the cause of truth through many years; he returned it to its scabbard with "the hilt badly battered, but with the blade still keen," without ever bringing dishonor upon

the noble ranks of those who stood with him in the fight. He was brave as Cæsar; he was gentle as a maiden; he was eloquent as Apollos.

He had victory in death. Surrounded by his children, who watched by his bedside in love and tenderness, he heard the summons of the Master; and in faith and comforting and joyous assurance, he gathered up his feet and walked the paths of the skies, and entered into the glory of his Lord.

We believe he has not left a mate; there is not another like him. In nature and endowment, he bore kinship with the mighty men of earth.

As we pictured him in our love, as we knew him in the bonds of comradeship, we can in all sincerity say that, as a royal and kingly man, as a brave and noble spirit, as a gifted and able and fearless expounder of the Word of God, we have not known his superior, and we doubt if we have seen his equal.

JOHN N. COLE.

[Document No. 8.]

MEMOIR OF REV. SAMUEL VINTON HOYLE.

Rev. Samuel Vinton Hoyle was born in Georgetown, D. C., January 7, 1836, and died in Jonesboro, N. C, May 4, 1892, aged fifty-six years, three months and twenty-seven days.

He was converted to God in a "camp-meeting," at a Methodist altar, when fourteen years of age. He became at once an active member of the Methodist Church, leading in public prayer and exhortation. He was licensed to preach when he was eighteen years of age, and his purpose then was to spend his life in the itinerant ministry of his church. From the first he laid himself and his all upon God's altar. He was received on trial into the travelling connection by the Virginia Conference at Norfolk in November, 1854. (The published Minutes say at Lynchburg in 1856, but the family insist that the fact is as stated here.) He was ordained a Deacon by Bishop Early November 21, 1856, and was ordained an Elder by Bishop Kayanaugh November 28, 1858. He was a member of the Virginia Conference until 1869, when he was transferred to the Baltimore Conference, and in 1872 was transferred to the North Carolina Conference, of which he remained a member until his death. In these several Conferences Brother Hoyle was continuously on the effective list for more than

thirty-seven years, and filled various circuits and stations with great acceptability; serving by appointment as Chaplain in the Confederate army during the latter part of our civil war.

Young Hoyle, after receiving a good academical education, entered Dickinson College, Pennsylvania, which Institution he left when within one session of graduation in the regular A. B. course; but not until he had laid a solid foundation for continued and broad intellectual culture through life.

Brother Hoyle married twice. On January 26, 1865, he was happily married to Miss M. S. Simmons, of Mecklenburg County, Virginia. To them were born four sons, three of whom survive their father. His first wife died in the triumphs of gospel faith January 21, 1875. On May 3, 1876, Brother Hoyle was again happily married to Miss Nannie J. Phillips, of Mecklenburg County, Virginia. Of this marriage seven children were born, four sons and three daughters. His second wife and nine of his children survive him to mourn their irreparable loss. But he has left to them the heritage of a good name, and the assurance that he is ever with the Lord. May they have grace to preserve and improve the heritage he has left them!

In adverting briefly to the private and social life of this good man we find much to admire. In his private life Brother Hoyle was an exemplary Christian. He had strong faith in God; he enjoyed religion; and through life no stain rested upon his escutcheon. In his domestic life he was a kind and affectionate husband, a loving and firm father. He ruled well his own house. He was not penurious, but economical, and out of his salaries, often meagre, he provided well for his family; he was especially mindful of their intellectual and religious training. In the inner circle of his friends his social life was always pleasant, often charming. He was an unselfish man, and sought the happiness of his associates.

To the preaching of the gospel his whole life was given, and he was a strong preacher. He was a good pastor, but it is the preacher that we would consider. He combined several essential elements to high success in ministerial life:

- I. He believed himself divinely called to this work. And with this firm conviction of his divine call to the work of the ministry, he went forth as God's ambassador with a message to the people, and therefore he spake as one having authority, and with the earnestness of one who felt that vital interests were at stake.
- 2. He was a man of *one* work. He did not waste his energies in other pursuits. Renouncing the world and obeying the call of God he gave himself without reserve to the ministry of the word. All

his powers were consecrated to the preaching of the gospel, and this continuously through life. His best, his all, was put into this work.

- 3. He was studious. He sought to bring "beaten oil" to the pulpit. He was an extemporaneous preacher. He wrote few, if any, sermons. But he did not go to his pulpit without studious preparation. His plan was to make brief notes, and then to think out his discourse very thoroughly. His thought was well matured, his language was largely unpremeditated. Yet from his general study he had an extensive vocabulary and a good command of language. His English was pure, his style was not redundant, his speech was often terse. He had the happy faculty of quickly selecting the right words so as to compress much into a short sentence.
- 4. Above all, Brother Hoyle was a man of prayer. He spent much time upon his knees. In his study he sought Divine help. In the pulpit he often preached in the power and demonstration of the Holy Ghost. No difference how well he had prepared his sermon, he felt that it could not accomplish great good without the special impartation of divine energy; and when he was going to preach he prayed mightily for the presence and help of the Spirit of God. Not only as to his personal life, but as to his work, he was a man of prayer.

No wonder that such a life closed well. Death, like a courier, went to him on the field bearing from the Great Captain the order, "Come up higher." Bro. Hoyle was at his post as P. C. of Maxton and Caledonia churches, preached twice on the fourth Sabbath in April, on Monday conducted a funeral service, on Tuesday was decidedly unwell, and believing that he had a premonition of approaching death, took the train and came that evening to his home in Jonesboro. During the few remaining days he talked freely of his approaching death, from which his mind could not be diverted; expressed himself as exceedingly glad that he had spent his life as an humble minister of the gospel, declared his readiness for death, and expressed triumphant faith as to his victory over death and the grave, and of the blessed immortality upon which he was about to enter.

Physicians, his wife and children, and many Christian friends did all they could to prolong his life; despite all, after an illness of but a few hours more than a week, he breathed his last in the bosom of his family and went home to God.

God called his servant from the field, in the midst of the fight, but gave him leave to go by his earthly home and tarry there a week with his beloved family, and then report for orders above.

After an appropriate service in our church at Jonesboro, participated

in by several of our ministers, in the presence of a large congregation, we buried the mortal remains of our brother in the cemetery of that town, over which has been erected a suitable monument; but he has left a more enduring monument built by his labors in the church of God. His Conference and his many friends will cherish his memory here, and his spiritual children will rise up in eternity and call him blessed.

J. T. Gibbs.

[Document No. 9.]

MEMOIR OF REV. J. W. NORTH, D. D.

Rev. John W. North was born in Williamsburg County, S. C., July 28th, 1828, and died at his home in Cleveland County, N. C., June 3d, 1892, in the 64th year of his age. He joined the church in 1846, and was converted June 14th, 1849. He was received on trial in the South Carolina Conference at Camden, S. C., December, 1849, and served the following charges: Barnwell Circuit, 1850; Sumterville Circuit, 1851; Santee Circuit, 1852-'53; Yorkville Station, 1854; Winnsboro and Chesterville, 1855; Yorkville Circuit, 1856-'57; Cokesbury Circuit, 1858-'59; Abbeville Circuit, 1860; in 1861 he sustained a supernumerary relation; Marion Street, Columbia, 1862; Santee Circuit, 1863-'64; Sumter Circuit, 1865-'66; in 1867-'68-'69 and 1870, Presiding Elder of Shelby District. In 1870, this territory being transferred to the North Carolina Conference, Dr. North became a member of this Conference. In 1871-'72-'73 he served Shelby Station; Shelby Circuit, 1874-'75-'76-'77; Shelby Station, 1878; Shelby Circuit, 1879; Laurinburg Station, 1880-'81-'82-'83; Mt. Zion Station, 1884-'85-'86-'87; St. John Station, 1888-'89; Jonesboro Circuit, 1890; Leasburg Circuit, 1891, where his health failed and he was compelled to give up his work. At the last session of our Conference in Greenville, at his own request, he was placed on the honored roll of superannuated preachers. Dr. North's active ministry embraced a period of forty-three consecutive years save two.

He first married a Miss Dye, of York County, S. C. She dying in 1862, he married Miss C. J. Wells, of Cleveland County, N. C. They were indeed "helpmeets" to him, and contributed largely to his usefulness as an itinerant Methodist preacher. His educational advantages in early life were limited, but his natural endowments being of a high order, he soon succeeded, by hard study, in qualifying himself for filling with great acceptability every position to which

he was called by his church. He read many books, and read them to profit, but he studied the Bible as he did no other book. As one has said, "The Bible was his text-book—he knew what was in it, and how to use it." His public prayers were uttered largely in its language. His sermons were freighted with proof-texts, and embellished with Scripture illustrations, and marked by originality, depth of thought and beauty of diction. In the pulpit he was impassioned, but graceful. Having an analytical and logical mind, he rightly divided the word of truth, giving to each "his portion in due season." To the sorrowing he was a son of consolation. His denunciations of sin and his appeals to the impenitent were almost irresistible. When on more pleasing themes of the gospel, especially the rewards of the faithful, he would carry his hearers away in imagination, and show them that great city, and describe in such glowing terms its mansions and thrones, as to make them feel that they were so near its gates that they could almost see the flash of its sheen, hear its melodies and feel the glow of its mingled fires." As a preacher he was indeed a tower of strength. He was not fond of controversy, but when the doctrine or polity of his church were assailed he stood ready to defend them, as but few men could. He understood our Discipline, and his opinion on questions of law always commanded attention and respect. Trinity College honored herself in conferring upon him the degree of Doctor of Divinity, and in 1878 his brethren showed their appreciation of his worth by electing him to the General Conference. As a friend he was frank, cordial and true. He had a contempt for shams and hypocrisy. He was in the fullest sense a pious man—he "lived what he preached." He had a religious experience which often thrilled him with unutterable jov. We have frequently heard him say, "I was powerfully converted." We shall never forget a sermon we once heard him preach on the call to and qualification for the ministry, and the wonderful emphasis with which he said, "I may be tempted to doubt a great many things, but my conversion and call to the ministry I can never doubt." He was a tender and loving husband and a watchful and affectionate father. Always ardently attached to his family and home, this attachment steadly increased as he advanced in years. Home was emphatically "the dearest spot on earth" to him. But our brother has been called from the labors and conflicts of earth to the rewards of heaven. From his eloquent lips we shall never again hear the thrilling notes of the Gospel. Having been paralyzed, his mental forces were much impaired, but his memory retained the cheering invitations and precious promises of the Bible, and a short while before he passed away

he requested his faithful wife to read his favorite chapter, the last of Revelation; and we have no doubt, my brethren, but that he is now in that city where they "need no candle, neither light of the sun," "serving the Lamb" and "beholding His face"; and bearing "His name in his forehead." May his sorrowing widow and fatherless children, his hosts of friends, and we, his brethren in the ministry, meet him there.

W. S. Black.

[Document No. 10.]

MEMOIR OP REV. J. G. NELSON.

Joseph Gillespie. Nelson was born March 10, 1862, and died at Hobgood, N. C., November 29, 1892, in the thirty-first year of his age. We know not the place of his birth. He was the son of an itinerant Methodist preacher, Rev. Jesse S. Nelson, of the Western North Carolina Conference. Trained at the altars of our church, he sought religion there, and was converted to God about the year 1882, at Greenville, N. C., under the ministry of Rev. S. V. Hoyle, whose memoir has just been read, and by whom he was preceded to the "House of Many Mansions" but a few short months. They have met on the unfading fields of glory eternal, the one a trophy of the other's ministry. Brother Nelson dated his call to the work of the ministry from his conversion, and lingered not to confer with flesh and blood, but at once said, "Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do?" He began ministerial life by serving Strait's Mission in 1883 as supply. He was admitted on trial for the itinerancy at the session of our Conference held December, 1884, at Wilmington, from which date he continued to receive annual appointments until December, 1891, when in much weakness of body, but strength of spirit, he received appointment to that field upon which he "laid his armor by," and went to his Heavenly inheritance. His appointments were as follows, viz:

1884, Pitt Mission.

1885, Scotland Neck Mission.

1886, Hillsboro Circuit.

1887, Goldsboro Circuit.

1888-'89, Williamston Circuit.

1890, Fairfield Station.

1891, Carteret Circuit.

In all these flelds there were and are seals to his ministry. His

reaping was especially large on the Hillsboro and Williamston Circuits.

On January 28, 1885, he was married to Miss Julia Humber, of Greenville, N. C., to which happy union three children were born unto him. The first a son, the joy of his heart, who at two years of age went to Heaven (his little body now rests in Willow Dale Cemetery of this city), and two little daughters, Maggie and Annie, who, with mother, now form a fatherles family circle.

Viewing Brother Nelson as a man physically, we see him of erect but slender stature, of medium height and weight, with light hair and dark eyes, whose brightness told of the lively soul that looked through them. His movement was nervous and quick, the effect of native fire that burned within him, spirited and strong in the zeal and heat of energetic youth. His body was too frail an instrument to be of lengthy service to such an ardent spirit in a world of so many trying environments. As a man intellectually, he was above the average, having remarkable quickness of perception and depth and clearness of penetration. From a child he was eager to acquire knowledge, so much so that when he was but eight or nine years of age, it was necessary to restrain him from school in order to protec his physical strength. His mind had power to retain, logically arrange, and with clearness and precision distribute its possessions.

As a preacher, he easily stood in the first rank among the younger men of our Conference. His themes, wisely chosen and well prepared, were delivered in a manner that would catch and hold the attention of his hearers. There was no uncertainty as to his position on any question. You could know where he stood. He was bold in the declaration of conscientious convictions. He hated a mean thing, an overt act of wickedness, and unsparingly denounced it. He was a man to draw you very close to him, or to hold you far from him. He had many noble qualities of mind and heart, and those who knew him best loved him most. What else shall we say of him, now that he has gone from among us? Shall we, for the pleasure of those who cry for perfection in others more than they cultivate it within themselves, point out a brother's defects and weaknessess? We answer, no. Let us ever more leave them in the oblivion of forgetfulness rather than write them on the memorial page of history. Let those who long to know them wait till God, who knows all hearts and who alone weighs all outward conduct, shall make them known. Brother Nelson's last sickness was long and painful. For months he would not believe his sickness was unto death, but with all the buoyancy of his spirit resisted every downward step of his disease. So persistent

was his battle for life that he could not be induced to speak of his departure until the last few days of his life. Then, being fully persuaded that it was the appointed time, he calmly and clearly expressed his faith in Christ, committed wife and children to God, who, he said, had been so good to him.

He had preached as long as he *could* preach; walked as long as he *could* walk; talked as long as he *could* talk; he prayed till the last request "made known to God" was answered; he breathed as long as he *could* breathe, and then, as gently declines the dying day, his spirit went away to the God who gave it, and now as the flaming faced King of Day throws his bright beams across the pine-perfumed plains of Eastern Carolina, they fall with golden touch upon the new-made grave of another itinerant Methodist preacher, the world's best type of a true Soldier of the Cross.

"Rejoice for a brother deceased,
Our loss is his infinite gain;
A soul out of prison released,
And freed from his bodily chain;
With songs let us follow his flight,
And mount with his spirit above;
Escaped to the Mansion of Light,
And lodged in the Eden of Love."

D. H. TUTTLE.

[Document No. 11.]

MEMOIR OF HON. D. W. BAIN.

On Wednesday afternoon, November 16, 1892, at his residence in Raleigh, N. C., the Hon. Donald W. Bain died, after a long and, at times, very painful illness. The cause of his death was valvular disease of the heart, from the effects of which he has been confined to his room for several months.

Mr. Bain was a native of the city of Raleigh and was born on the 2d day of April, 1841, hence he was aged fifty-one years, seven months and fourteen days. After receiving an education at the high schools of Raleigh and of South Lowell and Pittsboro, N. C., he became a clerk in the office of the Comptroller of North Carolina in 1857, which position he held until he became chief clerk in the State Treasurer's office, being appointed to it by State Treasurer Jonathan

Worth in 1865. He remained in this position, under the Treasurership of K. P. Battle, Dr. Sloan, David A. Jenkins and J. M. Worth, until 1884, when he was nominated and elected State Treasurer. In 1888 he was re-elected for a second term, and this year, 1892, he was re-elected for a third term, his popularity being so great as to break down all prejudice against a third term. In 1879 he was chosen as one of the Commissioners to adjust and renew the bonds issued by the State on account of the North Carolina Railroad. In all of the above positions of sacred and high trusts imposed in him, he rendered to his State the most efficient and faithful service, so much so that his name in North Carolina has become a synonym of efficiency and fidelity.

Mr. Bain was a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity. He succeeded his father as Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge in 1867, and filled this office to the day of his death. He has also, for years, been the Secretary of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, and also Grand Recorder of the Grand Council. For two terms, 1885 to 1887, he was Commander of the Knights Templar for the State of North Carolina. As a member of the Scottish Rite, he was the recipient of the thirty-two degrees—a high testimonial to his character as a member of the Masonic fraternity. He was also a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. In these fraternities he was a bright light and a most beloved member.

From his boyhood Mr. Bain was a devoted member of Edenton Street Methodist Church, of Raleigh, N. C., and for many years one of its official members and Secretary of the Official Board. For many years he was Secretary of his District Conference, and was annually elected a lay delegate from the Raleigh District to the North Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of which body he was the most highly appreciated and honored Secretary since 1883. He was elected by his Annual Conference to the General Conference of his church, held in Richmond in 1886, and the one in St. Louis, in 1890. His church will miss his efficient services most sadly, and will mourn his death most sincerely.

Mr. Bain had an honorable ancestry. His paternal grandfather came from Scotland and his paternal grandmother came from France.

January 26, 1865, he was married to Miss Adelaide V. Hill, a daughter of the late Dr. William G. Hill, who was for years a prominent citizen of Raleigh. To this union four children were born, three of whom, with his wife, survive to mourn and miss one of the best of fathers.

We cannot too highly eulogize the personal character and public life of Donald W. Bain. To this writer for years he was a dear friend and an intimate companion. We have often travelled together and occupied the same room and the same bed for weeks and months at a time, and the closest scrutiny afforded by this intimate personal contact with him, revealed in him one of the purest hearts, one of the sweetest spirits, and one of the loftiest characters we ever knew. He was deservedly one of the most popular men in the State. He was greatly admired for his upright and beautiful life and justly esteemed for his noble endowments of mind and heart. He will be sadly missed by his State and by his church, as well as by his afflicted family and personal friends. He died as he had lived, peacefully trusting in the merits of an atoning Savior. When told by his physician that he was dying, he expressed his readiness to depart, and said, "Let me go as quickly as possible."

As a mark of respect to his memory the city bell was tolled at his death, the State Capitol and Grand Lodge buildings were draped in mourning, the flags were floated at half-mast, and his body laid in state in the rotunda of the Capitol until Friday evening, November 18, at 3 o'clock, when the remains were carried to Edenton Street Church, followed by the Grand Lodge officers and Masons, the Odd Fellows, the Official Board of Edenton Street Church, the State officials and a very large concourse of people. At the church a vast audience had assembled. The funeral services were very impressive. The beautiful tributes paid him found a response in the hearts of those present, and tender, loving hands laid him to rest.

Thus closed the service designated to pay the last tribute of respect to the memory of one of the most generally beloved and one of the truest, best men that North Carolina ever produced. He was one of Nature's noblemen, and his precious memory will long linger in freshness and beauty to help those whom he has left behind to meet him in the sky.

F. L. Reid.

[Document No. 12.]

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

We feel devoutly thankful for the marked interest manifested by our people in the cause of education. Never in the past has been thrown upon us such responsibilities, and never have we been so well prepared to meet the requirements of the hour. The relationship which has existed between the ages of the church have been educational as well as moral. "The things of the past have happened for ensamples," and have been written "for our admonition upon whom the ends of the world are come." Methodism was learned in a university, and the genius of the parent has descended to the child. John Wesley dropped a pebble in the ocean of human thought which created a ripple that increased the fury of some wave that in turn has affected another, and still another, until they beat and break upon the farthest shore. A thousand wheels, within the great wheel, have all been revolving, thus moving the hand upon the dial-plate of Time that points out changes and progress. We no longer revel in the memory of "good old times," but stand in the light of opportunities and advantages never possessed before.

John Wesley saw the beautiful form of Methodism in the rough and unpolished marble, and we have been chiseling away the pieces of stone that surrounded it until we have left bare the matchless piece of statuary. The leaven has leavened the whole lump. Methodists are not only more numerous than they have ever been, but are leading the world in thought and education. North Carolina Methodists have not been insensible to the opportunities and demands of the age, but are taking march with her sisters of every land. She has been rearing her school-houses, equipping her colleges, clearing the swamps and morasses of indifference and ignorance, and sending over hill and dale the echoes of progress and consecrated education.

TRINITY COLLEGE.

Among the several institutions of learning under the fostering care of the North Carolina Conference, we first call attention to Trinity College.

We are rejoiced to note the fact that Trinity College now stands equal to any institution of like grade in the land. Having been recently moved to Durham into its new and elegant buildings, it has greatly increased its capacity, both on the side of its work and on the side of its influence. It now numbers among its Faculty a corp of professors and instructors that represent the very best talent found in the great modern educational movement. In its new home, with its enlarged equipments,

the future of Trinity College is full of hope, and needs only the loyalty of the church to make its sphere of usefulness unsurpassed by any.

We feel glad at the degree of prosperity that has attended all of our institutions of learning, but we rejoice especially in the glorious prospect before Trinity. The ship has been launched, she is fully rigged, her sails are trimmed and set, and she only awaits the winds of a generous endowment to start her on her voyage of extraordinary usefulness to the church.

We submit herewith the generous proposition of Mr. B. N. Duke, of Durham, and recommend its acceptance by the Conference. The proposition is as follows:

DURHAM, N. C., December 13, 1892.

To the President and Board of Trustees of Trinity College, Durham, N. C. GENTLEMEN:—In lieu of the insurance proposition made to the Western North Carolina Conference, the locality of which insurance is

ern North Carolina Conference, the legality of which insurance is regarded by high legal authority as not being strictly in accordance with insurance laws, I therefore make the following proposition as a substi-

tute:

- I. That, on condition that the Board of Trustees of Trinity College will provide annually, for the current expenses of the College, the sum of fifteen thousand dollars from all sources, including fees, Conference collections, private subscriptions, endowments, etc., I will agree to furnish to the Trustees, as a contribution from my brothers, sister and myself, the sum of seventy-five hundred dollars yearly for three consecutive years.
- 2. That this amount is to be paid into the College treasury as follows: I will place one dollar to the credit of the College treasury in bank as often as the Trustees from the several sources named shall place two dollars, to the amount of seventy-five hundred dollars on my part and fifteen thousand on your part annually for the period of three years.
- 3. That for the first year this seventy-five hundred dollars shall be as follows:

As determined by donors _____\$2,500 For scholarships, to be distributed among the Presiding Elder districts, district academies and graded schools of the State, of

fifty dollars each ______ 3,000
General fund, for current expenses _____ 2,000

Total _____\$7,500

4. For the second year this seventy-five hundred dollars shall be applied as follows:

For scholarships ______\$3 000 General fund, for current expenses ______ 2,000 As determined by the donors ______ 2,500

Total ----- \$7,500

5. For the third year this seventy-five hundred dollars shall be applied on the same plan as in the second year.

This proposition is suggested in view of the immediate needs of the College, the importance of increasing the patronage by scholarships and of binding the church, its people and its leaders to the College in such a way as to awaken their pride and consolidate their efforts in its behalf. It has in view also the importance and necessity of putting forth such efforts as will secure for the College an endowment of such amount as will give it an income from all sources of twenty thousand dollars or more by the end of these three years, independent of extra collections and private gifts. If the Board of Trustees will accept this proposition and proceed to make good their part, I will personally obligate myself, with others herein mentioned, to make good our part in proportion to the amount placed to the credit of the College treasury by the Board to the extent herein named.

In the matter of raising an endowment, it seems to me that it is entirely practicable to secure enough in each of the larger centers of Methodism in North Carolina to endow a single chair, and that efforts should be made at once looking to this end as early as possible.

The scholarships offered herein are meant to be placed so as to reach and be available for worthy, talented and needy young men in the several districts of both Conferences of the State, from which the Presiding Elders may select incumbents subject to the regulations prescribed by the Board, and to the approval of the President of the Faculty, much in the same manner in which Congressmen appoint students to the Naval Academy or the Military Academy at West Point. A sufficient number of these scholarships should be placed at the disposal of the head masters of our church preparatory schools and colleges, to be awarded to the most worthy and capable of the needy candidates for admission to College from these schools. This would have the effect of consolidating, endowing and uniting these church institutions to the College itself.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed)

B. N. DUKE.

- 2. We recommend also that an assessment of \$5,000 be made by the Conference in order to meet our part of the obligation.
- 3. We further recommend that Prof. L. W. Crawford be recognized as the financial agent of the College within bounds of our Conference.
- 4. At the suggestion of the Board of Trustees we recommend that the terms of office of members of the said Board from the North Carolina Conference be as follows:

FOR SIX YEARS-Rev. S. D. Adams, Rev. E. A. Yates, J. S. Carr, B. N. Duke.

FOR FOUR YEARS—Hon. Walter Clark, Rev. M. L. Wood, Rev. W. S. Black, Hon. R. T. Gray.

FOR TWO YEARS—Rev. F. D. Swindell, Rev. V. A. Sharpe, Rev. J. A. Cuninggim, Hon. T. J. Jarvis.

We further recommend that the Legislature of North Carolina, at its next meeting, be requested to amend the charter of Trinity College as follows:

- I. There shall be added to the Board of Trustees, ex officio, the Treasurer and Financial Committee of three.
- 2. The Board shall have power, at any annual or regularly called meeting, to declare any place on the Board vacant, and shall proceed to fill the same, subject to confirmation by the Annual Conference.
- 3. All Trustees provided for in the charter of Trinity College shall be nominated by the Board, subject to confirmation by the Conference in which they respectively reside.
 - 4. All laws in conflict with this are hereby repealed.
 - 5. This amendment shall go into effect from and after its ratification.

GREENSBORO FEMALE COLLEGE.

We are glad also to note the continued progress and prosperity of this noble institution of learning. It is as well if not better located and as thoroughly equipped as any college in the South for young ladies. It has every comfort and convenience almost that modern improvement could possibly put within a college. The beauty, healthfulness and accessibility of situation, the solid financial basis of its matured prosperity, its high grade; the sound, elevated and intellectual and moral tone of its surroundings are such as to make it worthy of the confidence and patronage of our people.

LITTLETON FEMALE COLLEGE.

This Institution, we are delighted to know, continues to grow and do good work in the cause of female education. It is beautifully and healthily located and has a strong faculty, and thus commends itself to the favorable consideration of those who have daughters to educate. The students of this school are well cared for in every way—mentally, physically, morally and religiously. The Conference owns sixty-three shares of stock in this College, which gives the Conference a controlling interest in it.

We also heartily endorse this Institution of learning, and request the Bishop to appoint Rev. J. M. Rhodes as its President.

WESLEYAN FEMALE COLLEGE.

This College, we are glad to learn, has been doing good work during the past year. It is in a section of country where we need a school. It is accessible by rail and water from eighteen or twenty counties in our own Conference, and from six counties beyond the Chowan, in the Virginia Conference.

To us as a Church the prosperity of this College is of very great importance, while to Methodism in the northeastern section it is the very life.

This College has a full and competent faculty. The building is of brick; three stories high; large and comfortable; heated throughout with steam; situated in a beautiful campus, in a quiet and moral village, and among a cultured and refined people, so that the prospects for the future are encouraging.

Resolved, That we endorse most heartily Wesleyan Female College, and recommend it to the patronage of our people, and request the Bishop to appoint Rev. R. P. Troy President of said institution.

We recommend that the following names be added to the present Committee of Management, to-wit, R. B. John, U. Vaughn, B. B. Winborn.

R. J. Moorman,

J. B. HURLEY, Secretary.

Chairman.

[Document No. 13.]

REPORT OF THE JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE FOR THE YEAR 1892.

BISHOP'S SALARY.

DISTRICTS.	AS	SESSED.		PAID.
Raleigh	-\$	216 00	#	203 41
Durham	-	198 00		186 60
Fayetteville	_	184 00		191 01
Rockingham	_	181 00		155 06
Wilmington	-	200 00		163 57
New Berne	_	230 00		220 60
Washington	_	191 00		162 25
Warrenton		200 00		198 00
Wilson	-	192 00		182 00
			-	

\$1,792 00 \$1,662 50

Paid Barbee and Smith, Agents, Nashville, Tenn.

The Board also recommends that the Conference raise for BISHOPS FOR 1893.

Raleigh District				. \$	211	00
Durham District				-	2 I I	СО
Fayetteville District				-	193	00
Rockingham District					187	00
Wilmington District				-	216	00
New Berne District			-	-	249	00
Wilson District				_	201	00
Warrenton District				-	213	00
Washington District				-	195	00
				\$ 1	,876	00
CONFERENCE FUND.						
DISTRICT.	A	SSESSI	ED.		PA	ID.
Raleigh	\$	661	00	#	578	60
Durham		608	00		518	20
Fayetteville		564	00		401	74
Rockingham		5 5 8	00		415	OI
Wilmington		615	00		416	45
New Berne		705	00		600	68
Washington		588	00		342	18
Warrenton		613	OC		499	16
Wilson		588	00		430	_
	\$.	5,500	00	\$ 4	1,202	
Total from Districts				4	1,202	58
From Publishing House					600	00
From Calvin Fund					22	95
From Trust Fund					259	45
Amount from last year					41	91
				\$:	 5, 1 2 6	89
Distributed to claimants		4,900	00			

24 30

60 00

12 90

65 00

50 00

14 69

\$ 5,126 89

Calvin Fund

Publishing Minutes

Expenses -----

Loss on Creasy check -----

Special allowance to Mrs. J. G. Nelson

Cash on hand

We hold checks unpaid on First National Bank of Wilmington, N. C., amounting to \$591.52, to be distributed, if collected, coming to the Boards, as follows:

Conference collections	167	44
Foreign Missions	217	33
Domestic Missions	114	72
Church Extension	52	39
Education	39	64
-	-	

\$ 591 52

DISTRIBUTION OF CLAIMANTS.

Conference	e Fund.	Calvin Fund.
Mrs. Pauline Anderson	\$ 75 00	\$ 45
Mrs. John N. Andrews	50 00	45
Mrs. E. A. Bibb	100 00	45
Rev. D. R. Bruton and two children	50 00	
Mrs. F. M. Bumpass	100 00	45
Mrs. A. E. Brown and one child	150 00	90
Mrs. Mary F. Clegg	50 00	45
Mrs. Charlotte A. Dozier	100 00	45
Mrs. Fannie C. Freeman	100 00	45
Mrs. Margaret C. Floyd	25 00	45
Rev. Miles Foy	200 00	
Mrs. Gaston Farrar	25 00	45
Mrs. Sarah E. Gattis	50 00	45
Mrs. John J. Gregg	100 00	45
Mrs. Virginia Gray	125 00	45
Mrs. Martha A. Garrard	25 00	45
Mrs. Lucy Gibbons and three children	62 50	ı So
Mrs. Nannie K. Guinn and four children	375 00	2 25
Rev. N. A. Hooker and wife	200 00	
Mrs. Eugenia Hill		45
Mrs. E. F. Howland and child	150 00	90
Mrs. Ann E. Jordan	25 00	45
Mrs. James Mahoney	100 00	45
Mrs. Daniel May and child	150 00	90
Mrs. L. J. McIntosh	150 00	45
Mrs. Sarah E. Moore	175 00	45
Mrs. M. F. Robbins	25 00	45
Mrs. Lillie Randle and two children	250 00	1 35
Mrs. Francis I. Tinnin	100 00	45
Rev. M. C. Thomas, wife and one child	312 50	

	Conference Fund.	Calvin Fund.
Rev. Joseph H. Wheeler	\$ 150 00	
Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson	100 00	\$ 45
Rev. W. M. Robey's three children-	225 00	I 35
Mrs. Joseph Wheeler	50 00	45
Mrs. A. W. Mangum and child	150 00	90
Mrs. J. E. Mann	100 00	45
Mrs. J. T. Harris and five children		2 70
Rev. J. B. Bailey and wife	100 CO	
Rev. J. B. Martin, wife and two child	ren 225 00	
Rev. T. C. Lovin and wife	200 00	
Rev. T. Page Ricaud and wife	200 00	
Mrs. J. W. North		45
Mrs. Wm. Robey		45
	\$4,900 00	\$24 30

The Joint Board of Finance recommends that the Conference raise the next year for Conference claimants five thousand five hundred dollars, and that it be distributed as follows:

Raleigh District\$	616	00
Durham District	616	00
Fayetteville District	566	00
Rockingham District	548	00
Wilmington District	637	00
New Berne District	732	CO
Wilson District	591	00
Warrenton District	626	00
Washington District	568	00
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\$5,500 00

Inasmuch as the assessment of last year of \$1,076, for the General Conference expenses was not paid in full, the Board recommends that the Presiding Elders be requested to raise the coming year the deficiency, which is \$518.28. The deficiency appears in the following districts:

DISTRICTS.	ASSESSED.	PAID.
Raleigh	\$ 132 co	\$ 94 70
Durham	119 00	67 70
Fayetteville	III OO	54 91
Rockingham	9S 00	60 77
Wilmington	I 22 00	45 18
New Berne	140 00	103 76
Wilson	116 00	35 43
Warrenton	I22 00	63 85
Washington	116 00	3I 42
	#	
	\$1,076 00	\$557 72

The Joint Board of Finance, by direction of the Conference reports the following as the apportionment to the Districts for the year 1893 to raise the \$5,000 assessment for Trinity College, as recommended in the report of the Board of Education:

Raleigh District	560	00
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Durham District	560	00
Fayetteville District	515	00
Rockingham District	500	00
Wilmington District	578	00
New Berne District	664	00
Washington District	517	00
Warrenton District	569	00
Wilson District	537	00
N. M. JURNEY, W. J. P.	RKE	ĒR,
Secretary.	airn	nan

[Document No. 14.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

The Committee on Books and Periodicals submit the following report:

- 1. That the continued success of our Publishing House at Nashville is a matter of joyful pride to us, and we commend it in all of its important interests to our people.
- 2. That the *Christian Advocate*, as our connectional organ, should receive the attention of our membership, especially of our preachers, and that every effort should be made to raise its subscription list to the high-water mark, 50,000.
- 3. That the *Quarterly Review*, by its recognized merit, has won its way to a place among the first-class reviews of both the secular and the religious world, and should receive the support of our preachers and laymen.
- 4. That special attention in the way of subscription and distribution should be shown the various missionary periodicals of our church. Among these are the Missionary Reporter, Woman's Missionary Advocate, and Sowers and Reapers; also Missionary Review of the World, published by Funk & Wagnalls.
- 5. That whereas, the Publishing House, in a pamphlet sent out during the year to the preachers of our connection, offering to the same an unusual privilege in the way of buying books, we hereby express our desire that the privilege be extended so far as to allow any preacher accepting the offer as set forth in the pamphlet, to buy one volume of any of its publications for his own use at the same rate.

6. That the Raleigh Christian Advocate, the organ of our own Conference, has done and is now doing a grand work for North Carolina Methodism, and that as a right-arm of the church, it should be read around every Methodist fireside in our State. We stress the importance of an effort on the part of our preachers to increase its number of subscribers during the ensuing year. We request the Bishop to appoint Rev. F. L. Reid, D. D., editor another year.

H. B. ANDERSON,

T. N. IVEY, Secretary.

Chairman.

[Document No. 15.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHURCH PROPERTY.

The Committee on Church Property report that there have been built the present Conference year twenty-seven new churches and one parsonage. The church property throughout the bounds of the Conference is in fair condition. There has been raised and expended this year the sum of \$45,337.99. We recommend that our preachers put forth special effort to improve our property and to preserve the parsonages; and where we have none, to make persistent effort to secure one.

K. H. WORTHY,

D. C. GEDDIE, Secretary.

Chairman.

[DOCUMENT No. 16.]

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

The Board of Missions beg leave to offer the following report:

There have been thirty charges in the Domestic Mission field, more or less under the care of the Board during this year. In three of them the pastors were paid very little except what they received from the Board. In the others there was manifested some commendable purpose to assist the Board in supporting their pastors, and we trust the pastors have been kept above want, and generally speaking, in comfortable circumstances. The average paid from both sources was \$523.50. The other three pastors only received from all sources an average of \$265.

There have been reported through these operations the following results: 878 conversions; 912 accessions; 160 infants baptized; 470 adults baptized; nine new churches built or finished; twelve churches now under contract, and considerable amounts collected on the assessments made by the Annual Conference.

The Board has made the following appropriation for 1893:

RALEIGH DISTRICT.

The state of the s	
City and Brooklyn Mission	-\$ 400 00
DURHAM DISTRICT.	
Chapel Hill	400 00
Carr Church	
Caldwell Circuit	
Alamance Circuit	200 00
FAVETTEVILLE DISTRICT.	
Comphaliton	250.00
Campbellton	
Siler City Circuit	
Cape Fear Circuit	
cape rem ccanta	
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.	
Maxton Circuit	300 00
WILMINGTON DISTRICT.	
Bladen Street	
Market Street	•
Waccamaw Circuit	
Fifth Street	•
rith Street	250 00
NEW BERNE DISTRICT.	
St. John's, Goldsboro	_ 300 00
Grifton Circuit	_
Hancock Street	
Core Sound Mission	300 00
WASHINGTON DISTRICT.	
Greenville Circuit	
Vanceboro Circuit	
Jamesville Circuit	
Pantego Circuit	
Washington Circuit	200 00

WARRENTON DISTRICT.

WARRENION DISTRICT.		
Lewiston Mission	\$ 250 00	
Bertie Circuit	150 00	,
Harrellsville Circuit	250 00	
WILSON DISTRICT.		
Spring Hope Circuit	. 100 00)
Nashville Circuit	150 00)
Battleboro and Whitaker's	200 CO	
Tarboro Circuit)
Bethel Circuit		
Kenly Circuit		
Dunn Circuit		
Newton Grove Circuit	250 00)
Total appropriated	#8 = 2 = 00	
The above \$8,525 has been apportioned to the different d follows:	istricts, as	ò
	# 227 00	
Raleigh District		
Durham District		
Rockingham District		
Wilmington District	_	
New Berne District		
Washington District		
Warrenton District		
Wilson District		Э
		-
Total	_\$ 8,525 oc)
The assessments for Foreign Missions are as follows:		
Raleigh District	-\$ 1,475 oc	0
Durham District		
Fayetteville District	. 1,413 00	0
Rockingham District	1,359 00	0
Wilmington District		
New Berne District		
Washington District		
Warrenton District		
Wilson District	I,433 O	0
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Total	- \$13,500 O	0

The Board has formulated the following resolutions, to be adopted by the Conference in reference to the Missionary Debt:

Resolved, That we, as a Conference, accept our proportion of the Missionary Debt, and order that it be distributed among the districts as follows:

Deleinh District		
Raleigh District 5 6	13	00
Durham District	10	00
Fayetteville District 58	37	00
Rockingham District 56	55	00
Wilmington District 66	50	00
New Berne District	39	00
Washington District	77	00
Warrenton District 63	33	00
Wilson District	96	00

Resolved. That the amounts be redistributed among the charges by the Presiding Elders on the basis of the regular Foreign Missionary Assessment for the past year, and in view of the embarrassed condition of the General Board, the pastors be requested to secure, if possible, the full amount and forward to M. Mial, Treasurer, at Raleigh, by or before February 28, 1893, so that he may forward the same to reach the General Treasurer at Nashville, on or before March 31, 1893. That the Presiding Elders be requested to give the pastors special help in this work.

Resolved, That we observe the Week of Prayer and self-denial so as to include February 19 to 26, and that each pastor be requested to procure and distribute a liberal supply of missionary literature in his charge previous to that time, urging his people to read it.

Respectfully submitted and signed in behalf of the Board.

WM. B. Doub, F. A. I

Secretary.

F. A. BISHOP, Chairman.

ANNIVERSARY MEETING.

SATURDAY EVENING, December 17, 1892.

The Anniversary Meeting of the Missionary Board was held at 7:30 P. M., President F. A. Bishop in the Chair.

The President announced hymn 669, which was sung by the congregation. Rev. B. B. Culbreth led in prayer.

The Secretary, W. B. Doub, read the report of the Board to the Conference.

The Treasurer, M. Mial, read his report as follows:

AMOUNTS ASSESSED AND COLLECTED ON DISTRICTS FOR THE YEAR 1892.

		FOREIGN MISSIONS.				DOMESTIC MISSIONS.						
DISTRICT.	A	Assesse	ed.		Paid.		A	 Assesse	ed.		Paid	•
Raleigh Durham Fayetteville Rockingham Wilmington New Berne Washington Warrenton Wilson		1,720 1,485 1,385 1,380 1,485 1,725 1,415 1,485 1,420	00 00 00 00 00 00	15.	1,479 1,268 972 1,008 825 1,423 796 1,084 970	60 74 88 67 04 93 70		1,020 880 820 820 880 1,020 840 880 840	00 00 00 00 00 00	\$	873 716 563 554 525 869 713 662 647	40 33 24 53 59 66 60
Total	\$	13,500	00	\$	9,830	08	\$	8,000	00	\$	6,126	05

MILLARD MIAL,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF BOARD OF MISSIONS.

MILLARD MIAL, Treasurer, In account with Board of Missions.

	FOREIGN MISSIONS.					
1892.	Dr.					
	To amount received from charges To amount received, dividend on Wil-	\$	9,830	08		
	mington Bank		70	20		
	To ant. receiv'd on Dr. Morrison, special not heretofore sent To amount received, <i>cash</i> , collection for	5	398	87		
	debtTo amount received from Anniversary		I I 2	20		
	collection		15	46		
					\$ 10,426	81
1892.	CR.	d+	250	00		
Aug. 27. Dec. 17.	By check to T. B. Holt, <i>Treasurer</i> By amount paid on printing Conference	#	350	00		
,	Minntes		30	00		
	By amount paid loss on Creasy's check of 1891		172	30		
	By amount paid postage			40		
	By check, to T. B. Holt to P. C.—By check, to T. B. Holt, Treasurer		182 9,691			
					\$ 10,426	81
	DOMESTIC MISSIONS.					
1892.	Dr.					
	To amount received from charges	\$	6,126	05		
	To balance from 1891 To amount received from dividend Wil-		47	19		
	mington check		9	22		
	To amount received from Anniversary		T. #	46		
	Confection			46		
					\$ 6, 197	92
	CR.	dt	2 452	~ 0		
	By checks on missionary drafts	#	3,528	27		
	Minutes			00		
	By amount paid loss Creasy's check, 1891 By amount on hand		92 74	77		
					\$ 6,197	92

Rev. W. L. Cuninggim, in behalf of the Woman's Missionary Society, read reports representing the work and progress of that Society.

STATISTICAL AND FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE FROM DECEMBER, 1891, TO DECEMBER, 1892:

Adult Auxiliaries organized during the year	II
Adult members added	231
Total number Auxiliaries	77
Total number members	1,907
Bright Jewel Bands and Young People's Societies organized	12
Total number Bright Jewel Bands and Young People's Societies,	94
Number of juvenile members added	240
Total number of Bright Jewel and Young People members	3,671
Total number of adult and juvenile societies	171
Total number adult and juvenile members	5,573
Total paid by adult Auxiliaries	52,065 00
Dues paid by Bright Jewels	740 76
For Frances Bumpass lectureship	418 63
Total paid by Bright Jewels	1,159 39

Grand total paid by Auxiliaries and Bright Jewels ---- \$3,224 39

This does not include any money paid by Auxiliaries to either Miss Bennett or Mrs. Wightman for the Scarritt Bible and Training School.

Total paid by Auxiliaries since organization in 1879 ---- \$ 17,808 o5 Total paid by Bright Jewels since organization in 1882 ---- 9,477 85

Grand total paid by W. M. S. N. C. Conference since organization \$27,285 90 Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. S. BLACK,

Cor. Sec. W. M. S. N. C. Conference.

The President then introduced Rev. W. R. Lambuth, Missionary Secretary, who gave a stirring missionary address. A basket collection was taken and \$30.69 raised.

The exercises then closed with benediction.

[Document No. 17.]

REPORT OF BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

The Board of Church Extension of the North Carolina Conference beg leave to report.

The amount assessed for the year 1892 was \$3,000, apportioned as follows:

DISTRICT.	ASSESSED.	I	PAID.	
Raleigh	- \$ 333 00	#	267	79
Durham	336 00		239	05
Fayetteville	336 00		212	37
Rockingham	330 00		214	79
Wilmington	336 00		144	60
New Berne	336 00		267	20
Washington	333 00		159	OI
Warrenton	330 00		214	40
Wilson	330 00		158	00
	\$3,000 00	#1	,877,	21
To amount paid for publishing Minutes		-	60	00
To loss on Dr. Creasy's check		_	46	60
To error of 1891—overpaid			63	00
To amount paid Parent Board			853	80
To amount appropriated by this Board			850	00
The following churches have been helped from	n this fund:			
Jamesville Church, Washington District		-#	140	00
Clark's Church, Washington District		"	50	
Bath Church, Washington District			50	
Jones Chapel, Wilson District			100	
Saulston Church, Wilson District			90	
Vernon Church, Wilson District			45	
Youngsville Church, Raleigh District			95	
Magnolia Church, Warrenton District.			50	
Milton Church, Durham District			90	
Robert's Chapel, Raleigh District			50	
Warsaw Church, Wilmington District			90	
		 \$	850	
Amount paid Treasurer for or on draft of last ye	ar		_	58
Amount on hand				28
			dia	

Amount assessed	for	coming	year	is	\$3,000,	and	is	apportioned	as fol-	
lows:										

Raleigh District\$	333 00
Durham District	336 00
Fayetteville District	336 00
Rockingham District	330 00
Wilmington District	336 00
New Berne District	336 00
Washington District	333 00
Warrenton District	330 00
Wilson District	330 00

There were eighteen applications for aid before the Board. \$3,089 would have aided all. Only \$850 were in our hands for distribution.

Amount of cash collection for Fifth Street Church, Wilmington, \$56.41.

Blank applications can be had of either the Chairman or Secretary of the Board.

D. H. Tuttle, Secretary.

L. L. NASH, Chairman.

At the request of the officers of the Board of Church Extension, the following report is added, viz.:

The Parsonage and Home Mission Society of the North Carolina Conference has five Auxiliaries, only three of which are at work, viz.: Wilmington, New Berne and Durham; the inactive ones are Raleigh and Fayetteville.

Amount of money raised during the year ending December 13, 1892, is \$189,71.

Amount forwarded to General Treasurer	\$ 67	05
Amount contributed to parsonage, Belgrade, Montana	82	75
Amount now in the treasury	115	78

It is a deplorable fact that our Conference is far behind the other Conferences in the Parsonage and Home Mission work. Do let us arouse ourselves and "to the work," so with a "long pull, a strong pull, and a pull all together," we may come up abreast of the best. To the ministry, especially to the pastorate, do we appeal for sympathy, interest and help.

Most respectfully submitted,
MRS. SUE D. SWINDELL,
President of Conference P. and H. M. S.

[Document No. 18.]

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WORK AMONG THE COLORED PEOPLE.

Your Committee in reference to the education of colored ministers at Paine and Lane Institutes, recommend that the amount of \$600, apportioned to the N. C. Conference for this work, be accepted and apportioned as follows to the several districts:

Raleigh District \$	6600
Durham District	68 00
Fayetteville District	63 00
Rockingham District	60 00
Wilmington District	71 00
New Berne District	78 00
Washington District	62 00
Warrenton District	68 oo
Wilson District	64 00

\$ 600 00

(Signed)

F. L. REID, T. J. JARVIS, W. C. NORMAN,

Committee.

[Document No. 19.]

REPORT OF THE SUNDAY-SCHOOL BOARD.

The Sunday-School Board beg leave to make the following report:
There are in the bounds of our Conference 592 Sunday-schools, an increase of 9. Number of officers and teachers, 4.397; an increase of 111.
Number of scholars, 33,808; a decrease of 1,227. Amount expended for literature, \$6,386.57; a decrease of \$30.27. Contributed for Missions, \$1,295.85; a decrease of \$88.40. Contributed on "Children's Day," \$227.16; a decrease of \$132.97. Raised for other objects, \$2,994.88; an increase of \$101.95. Whole amount raised in Sunday-schools, \$11,749.53; an increase of \$695.38.

The Treasurer has given aid to 26 needy Sunday-schools this year from the "Children's Day" fund, amounting to \$211.10, leaving a deposit at the Publishing House of \$550.40, to which will be added 90 per cent. of the amount collected this year, making now on hand \$754.85.

Your Board would recommend, first, that our preachers give more attention to the organization of Mission Sunday-schools; second, that our Sunday-school supplies be purchased from Rev. T. J. Gattis, the Agent for Colportage and Sunday-schools.

We offer for adoption the following resolution:

"That where there are needy Sunday-schools desiring to purchase libraries, the Sunday-school Board, upon the recommendation of the preacher in charge, will furnish half the amount necessary."

All collections for "Children's Day," should be forwarded to the Agent and Treasurer, Rev. J. T. Lyon, Fayetteville, N. C., to whom also all applications far aid must be made.

L. L. JOHNSON,

Secretary.

A. R. RAVEN,

Chairman.

GENERAL MINUTES.

Question 1. Who are admitted on trial?

Answer. Allison L. Ormond, Doctor N. Caviness, Walter H. Willis, James H. Frizelle, Thomas H. Sutton, William A. Jenkins, Marion T. Plyler, James P. Pate, Julian L. Rumley, Samuel T. Moyle, John W. Wallace, John R. Newlin, Henry E. Tripp—13.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial?

Ans. Nathan H. D. Wilson, Kenneth D. Holmes, Lucius S. Massey, Edward E. Rose, Michael Bradshaw, John C. McCall, Jesse D. Bundy, Elias B. Wilcox, Jesse J. Porter, Jesse W. Martin, Jesse T. Draper, Nathaniel L. Seabolt—12.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued?

Ans. Jesse F. Usrey, Major T. Best-2.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection?

Ans. William Y. Everton, Jasper B. Thompson, George W. Starling, George G. Harley, George D. Langston, William B. Moore, John A. Rouse, John C. Jones, William F. Galloway—9.

Ques. 5. Who are re-admitted?

Ans. None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

Ans. Thomas W. Guthrie, Samuel P. Douglass, Thomas W. S. Parker, from the Western North Carolina Conference; William E. Edmonson, from the Pacific Conference—4.

Ques. 7. Who are the deacons of one year?

Ans. Milton D. Hix, Robert H. Broom, Richard F. Taylor, Asa J. Parker, Henry G. Stamey, James H. M. Giles, William H. Puckett, John R. Sawyer, John J. Barker—9.

Ques. 8. What travelling preachers are elected deacons?

Ans. Jasper B. Thompson, George W. Starling, William B. Moore, John A. Rouse, John C. Jones, Nathaniel L. Seabolt—6.

Ques. 9. What travelling preachers are ordained deacons?

Ans. Jasper B. Thompson, George W. Starling, William B. Moore, John A. Rouse, John C. Jones, Nathaniel L. Seabolt—6.

Ques. 10. What local preachers are elected deacons?

Ans. Thomas H. Walters, Jesse J. Porter, Julian L. Rumley, Samuel T. Moyle, William A. Jenkins—5.

Ques. 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons?

Ans. Thomas H. Walters, Jesse J. Porter, Julian L. Rumley, Samuel T. Moyle, William A. Jenkins—5.

Ques. 12. What travelling preachers are elected elders?

Ans. John H. Shore, Magruder H. Tuttle, Eli C. Sell, Neill McK.

Watson, Louland S. Etheredge, Daniel Reid, George T. Simmons, James G. Johnson, Charles F. Sherrill, Edwin C. Glenn—10.

Ques. 13. What travelling preachers are ordained elders?

Ans. John H. Shore, Magruder H. Tuttle, Eli C. Sell, Neill McK. Watson, Louland S. Etheredge, Daniel Reid, George T. Simmons, James G. Johnson, Edwin C. Glenn—9.

Ques. 14. What local preachers are elected elders?

Ans. James A. Edwards.

Ques. 15. What local preachers are ordained elders?

Ans. James A. Edwards.

Ques. 16. Who are located this year?

Ans. John T. Abernethy.

Ques. 17. Who are supernumerary?

Ans. Isaac W. Avent, Thomas B. Reeks, James B. Bobbitt, Richard W. Townsend, Edward L. Pell, William H. Call, James C. Crisp, and Thomas W. Guthrie—8.

Ques. 18. Who are superannuated?

Ans. Miles Foy, James B. Bailey, George E. Wyche, Marcus C. Thomas, Nathan A. Hooker, Joseph H. Wheeler, Thomas C. Lovin, T. Page Ricaud, Joseph B. Martin, David R. Bruton, Clayter W. Smith, Washington S. Chaffin—12.

Ques. 19. What preachers have died during the past year?

Ans. Robert O. Burton, Thomas C. Moses, John W. North, Samuel V. Hoyle, Joseph G. Nelson—5.

Ques. 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

Ans. Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters examined and passed. Henderson Cole withdrawn.

Ques. 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions of the Conference?

Ans. Local preachers, 135; white members, 57,408, colored members, 23; total, 57,689.

Ques. 22. How many infant's have been baptized during the year?

Ans. 1,116.

Ques. 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year?

Ans. 2,608.

Ques. 24. What is the number of Sunday-schools?

Ans. 592.

Ques. 25. What is the number of Sunday-school teachers?

Ans. 4.397.

Ques. 26. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars?

Ans. 33,808.

Ques. 27. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers?

Ans. \$5,500.

Ques. 28. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

Ans. From districts, \$4,202.58; other sources, \$924.31. Distributed to claimants, \$4.950; Calvin Fund, \$24.30; miscellaneous expenses, losses and funds on hand, \$152.59.

Ques. 29. What has been contributed for missions?

Ans. Foreign, \$9,845.43; domestic, \$6,106.24; total, \$15,951.67.

Ques. 30. What has been contributed for church extension?

Ans. \$1,892.06.

Ques. 31. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of church edifices?

Ans. Number, 573; value, \$697,685.

Ques. 32. What is the number, and what is the estimated value, of parsonages?

Ans. Number 94; value, \$118,670.

Ques. 33. What are the educational statistics?

Ans. Trinity College: Number of professors, 12; number of students, 156; value of buildings, \$182,000; value of productive endowment, \$33,000.

Wesleyan Female College, Murfreesboro: Number of teachers, 6, number of students, 46; value of property, \$20,000.

Littleton Female College: Number of teachers, 13; number of students, 80; value of property, \$12,000.

Burlington Academy: Number of teachers, 7; number of students, 125; value of property, \$4,000.

Jonesboro High School: Number of teachers, 4; number of students, 64; value of property, \$2,500.

Richlands Academy: Statistics not known.

Ques. 34. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?

Ans. Fifth Street Station, Wilmington, N. C.

Ques. 35. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

Ans. See appointments.

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Raleigh, Edenton Street				635	613	16	40	34	2	12	I	\$ 28,500 00	 1\$	4,000 00'\$	7,000 00 \$	
Central				332	312	18	28	25	2	6	I	2,200 00				1,592 80
City Miss.and Brooklyn				141	123	17	11	10		10	2	1,250 00			50 00	
Cary Circuit	1			515	515	8	5	49 58	2	3	6	5,600 00				105 00
Youngsville Circuit	1			605	600 366	52	II		5	29	6	5,300 00		1,600 00		528 91
Franklinton Circuit	1	356	 I	407 360	361	44	6	9	2	20	7	2,100 00			50 00	181 02
Louisburg Station	, 3		1	221	206	33	19	53	5	²⁵	3	8,700 00		2,000 00 .		1,850 00
Tar River Circuit				550	536	9 49	19	13	3		2	4,150 00		2,000 00 1,200 00	100 00.	4I II 27 00
Granville Circuit				635	610	49	10	23		25 42	4 7	7.000 00		500 00	120 00	548 69
Oxford Station				341	341	24	18	42	3	9	1	4,500 00,		2,550 00		198 79
Oxford Circuit	I			611	607	26	S	24	10	18	6	6,300 00				
Total	9	5,296	I	5,353	5,190	345	184	375	34	205	46	\$ 80,200 00	9 \$	14,950 00 \$	7,420 00.\$	5,063 32
				•		DURH	AM DIS	STRICT								
Durham, Trinity	3	465		465	453	11	31	27	2	2	I	\$ 25,000 00	115	4,500 00 \$	5	6,200 00
Main Street				386	405	6	20	45	2	4	2	13,200 00		2,800 00		1,435 39
Carr Church	I	182		182	164	II	22	14	I	7	1	3,500 00	1	1,500 00		
Circuit	3	738		739	671	81	1	15	5	64	9	4 700 00				
Hillsboro Circuit		655	I	656	641	30	17	36	3	26	6	7,000 00	I	1,000 00		350 00
Chapel Hill Station	I	115		122	157		9	44			I	8,000 90				
Leasburg Circuit	1	338		338	301	46		17	3	36	5	4,000 00				200 00
Roxboro Circuit		547		547	508	47	10	14		37	4	3,500 00		2,000 00 _		250 00
Mt. Tirzah Circuit				470	494	9	8	41	I	6	6	4 300 00		1,000 00		897 13
Person Circuit				149	140	16	I	8		12	3	1,400 00.				75 00
Burlington Circuit				607	507	74	58	34	12	40	8	7,900 00		1,000 00		1,650 00
Milton Circuit		343		344	350	I	10	0.	1 8	I	4	2,500 00			180 00	
Yanceyville Circuit		395 448	I	356 448	348 472	50 19	19	21 47	7	.42 17	4	4,500 00 6,500 00		1,000 00		100 00 95 10
Total	11	5,838	11	5,849	5,611	401	208	371	45	294	60	\$ 96,000 00.	98	16,800 00 \$	4.680 00 \$	

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Hay St. and Campbelton Mission, Cumberland Circuit Cokesbury Circuit Sampson Circuit Lillington Circuit Buckhorn Circuit Cape Fear Circuit Pittsboro Circuit Haw River Circuit Deep River Circuit Siler City Circuit Carthage Circuit Mauly Circuit Jonesboro Circuit	3 1 1 2 2 2 1 1	487 547 513 643 400 846 433 623 539 596 302 566 348 533	1	487 547 513 644 490 846 433 654 539 597 302 567 348 533	552 508 489 639 387 777 426 610 640 559 272 544 324 499	7 42 33 58 13 40 12 38 23 45 40 42 12 56	5 13 9 13 5 29 2 6 4 51 9 11 22 6	12 16 16 66 5 5 7 31 128 13 19 30 15 28	2 23 12 8 2 3 12 5 8 11 4 22 r4	1 14 23 22 7 28 7 20 16 38 25 4 30		\$ 16,300 00 4,800 00 4,300 00 3,700 00 2,500 00 4,000 00 3,750 00 6,450 00 7,000 00 3,625 00 2,000 00 5,150 00 7,000 00	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	500 00 600 00 600 00 600 00 600 00 600 00	150 00	700 00 310 00 372 45 60 00 350 00
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Total	16	6,210		6,212	5,825	436	320	366	266	195	60	\$ 43,500 00	0 \$	0.450.00\$	2 008 75 \$	1 888 71

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Bladen Street	2.4.4		144	174	5	4	39	II		I	1,900 00	I	1,200 00		428 03
Market Street I	49		49	38	13	4	5	4	4	1	850 00				
Scott's Hill Circuit	.0.		484	489	23	5	19	5	ro	7	5,000 00	Ι,	860 00	100 00	105 00
Onslow Circuit 2	665		665	629	48	2	14	17	30	5	5,100 00				200 33
Magnolia Circuit	465		465	512	16	5	47	2	12	8	6,960 00				407 65
Kenansville Circuit	704	I	705	675	30	12	12	5	20	6	6,000 00	1)	1,000 00	1,200 00	125 00
Clinton Circuit 2			747	774	7	5	36		5 :	6	5,000 00	I	800 00	60 00	140 00
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Elizabeth Circuit	450	I	451	443	IO.	5	7 .	10	5	6	5.100 00	I	1,000 00		230 00
Whiteville Circuit	495		495	480	23	5	1.3	12	10	7	5,850 00	I.	Soo oo	200 00	233 75
Waccamaw Circuit2	435	I	436	396	45	2	8	13	23	6	1,775 00			50 00	
Brunswick Mission	250		250	228	27	4	9	9	II	3	1,050 00				
Brunswick Circuit 1	624	2	626	590	55		19	16	10	9	4,000 00			50 00	200 00
Southport Station	343		343	355	I	2	15 1	9		I	5,000 00	I	600 00	100 00	30 00
Carver's Creek Circuit	422		432	395	42	4	10	20	17	5	3,550 00,			250 00	50 00
Total 16	7,938	6	7,947	7,884	379	141	414	170	172	So	\$ 126,985 00	10.\$	13,560 00	2,570 00	3,969 46

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.

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New Berne-Centenary 3	609		609	583	28	36	38	9	7	1 3	10,000 00 25	6,000 00 \$		634 58
Hancock Street I	114 -		114	72	29	22	14	4	16	I	3,000 00		150 00	104 76
Goldsboro-St. Paul's	472		472	390	107	21	46	8	46	2	18,600 00, 2	5,000 00	1,900 00	1,374 00
St. John's I	161		161	114	29	29	19	5	14	I	2,000 00 1	700 00	100 00	208 91
Circuit 5	648 .		648	632	39	7 1	30		25	6	6,100 00			134 50
Mt. Olive Circuit	738 -		738	68o	72	9	14	2	54	6	5,000 00, 1	1,000 00 -		450 00
La Grange Circuit	447 -		447	590	28	II	182	28	24	5.	3,300 00 1	400 00 _		288 15
Snow Hill Circuit	740 -		740	700	84	9	53	4	70	61/2	7,000 00 1	1,000 00 ~		6 00
Kinston Station 2	283 .		283	265	10	26	20	4	5	I	6,000 00, 1	2,000 00 _		140 00
Grifton Circuit	254 -		254	230	28	12	16	5	19	3	1,800 00			500 00
Craven Circuit	386 -		386	349	53		16	12	25	6	3,100 00 I	600 00	75 00	156 77
Jones Circuit	549 -		549	567	17	15	32	3	17	5	2,500 00 I	750 00 .		126 40
Carteret Circuit I	393 -		393	498	36	7	105	7	24	7	2,400 00		175 00	
Morehead Station	08"		285	252	13	26	7	5	1 I	I	2,500 00			
Beaufort Station	414		414	342	72	10	18	28	29	I	3,000 00 1	1,000 00 -		491 00
Pamlico Circuit	580	I	581	566	46	2	33	3	28	81/2	6,100 00		66 00	375 00
Strait's Circuit 3	338 -		338	317	30	4	13	16	14	4	2,500 00			304 50
Core Sound Mission	77 -		77	64	18		3	3	7	2	1,200 00			50 00
Total21	7,488	I 7	,489	7,211	739	246	659	146	435	67	86.100 00 12 \$	18,450 00 \$	2,466 00\$	5.344 57

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NAME OF CHARGE.	Number of Local Preachers.	Number of White Members.	Men	Total Members this Year.	Total Members last Year.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and otherwise.	Removals by Death, Certif. and otherwise.	Infants baptized,	Adults baptized.	Number of Churches.	†	Value of Churches.	1	No. Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of other Church Property.	Money expend- ed for Churches and Parsonages.
Washington Station Greenville Station Greenville Circuit Jamesville Circuit Plymouth Station Roper City Station Columbia Circuit Dare Circuit Kennekeet Circuit Ocracoke and Hatteras Circuit Mattamuskeet Circuit Fairfield Station Swan Quarter Circuit Pantego Circuit Washington Circuit Aurora Circuit	1 1 4 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	346 213 300 237 214 160 437 460 302 513 122 392 237 345 485		347 213 300 237 214 160 437 463 204 482 302 513 122 392 236 237 345 485	380 189 252 204 216 546 483 172 460 296 513 123 387 207 205 368 443	2 21 59 52 7 26 126 64 26 17,58 8	6 24 13 1 2 4 4 2 6 5 4 1 1 2 8 8	41 21 24 13 11 3 5 82 8 4 53 9 3 4 7 15 9	4 1 2 2 49 23 4 20 21 3 9 9 4 5 8 5	1 6 6 67 45 3 100 63 399 14	1 5 3 2 2 3 6 2 4 4 4 4 1 3 3 4 3 7	\$	1,000	00	I I	900 00	75 00	35 71 225 00 44 25 25 00 400 00 116 00 956 00 133 70 215 44 142 00 80 00 550 00 15 00
Total	15	5,625		5.686	5.444	547	110	320	169	343	58	\$	66,475	00	12\$	10,150 00\$	1,940 00\$	2,988 10
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Warrenton Circuit Warren Circuit Ridgeway Circuit Henderson Station Littleton Circuit Weldon Station Aurelian Circuit Halifax Circuit Garysburg Circuit Northampton Circuit	I I 1 I	266	2	394 547 575 266 308 130 627 238 495 892	388 574 545 248 314 553 425 486 847	12 23 31 15 5 15 73 10 41	5 1 10 26 10 10 1 4 3 8	11 51 23 23 22 12 14 8 35 26	1 7 2 17 10 2 1 1 6	5 10 21 3 2 9 52 10 18	4 76 1 3 5 5 5 7	\$		00	I 	1,500 00 \$ 800 00 1,200 00 1,500 00 1,200 00 1,550 00	62 00 450 00 125 00	206 19 647 76 14 50 443 56 201 73 138 95 706 06 285 00

Meherrin Circuit				633	636	41	5	49	7	32	5	3,700			850 00,	300 00	370 (
Murfreesboro Station				126	116	12	15	17		7 .	6	4,000				250 00	63 (
Harrellsville Circuit				257	273	11	12	17	I	2		6,100			1,200 00		
Bertie Circuit	5	350		350	344	10	3	7	6	2	6	5,000	00	·	100 00	225 06	285
Total	13	5,832	2	5,838	5,749	362	113	315	72	204	62	\$ 76,050	00	10\$	11,450 00 \$	3,962 00	\$ 4.561
						WILSO	N DIS	TRICT.									
Wilson Station	1 1	454		454	375	6			16	36	1	\$ 7,500	00	1/\$	3,000 00\$		\$ 175
Spring Hope Circuit	. 2			573	526	54	6	13		36	9	2,500	00				IIO
Nashville Circuit			1	291	394	7	6	10	2	4	5	2,000	00	I	800 00		7
Rocky Mount Circuit				1 75	151	25	16	17		20	I	1,800	00	I	1,300 00	1,300 00	205
Battleboro and Whitaker's				184	180	II	11	18	1	7	4	5,700	00	1;	425 00	200 00	308
Carboro Station and Mission	I			336	207	54	75	7	2	50	6	6,700	00	I	2,000 00	350 00	2,830
Bethel Circuit	2	00		475	450	22	3	9	3	19	1	1,500	00				25
Williamston and Hamilton Sta.	2			252	260	6	4	18	3	4	4	3,000	00	I	1,000 00		300
South Edgecombe Circuit				449	378	60	22	20		69	2	2 500	00				179
remont Circuit				660	534	136	20	30	4	801	7 8	8,000	00	I	600 00 -		2,400
Kenly Circuit		462		462	256	68	138	3	7	47	8	3,700	00	I,	150 00		75
mithfield Circuit		1		499	479	67	5	19	4	48	6	7,900	00	1.	1,500 00	900 00	425
Dunu Circuit		325		325	279	10	70	34	4	10	4	2,600	00	I	500 00	50 00	300
Newton Grove Circuit		280		280	279	9	2	10	2	4	4	2,250	00	I	110 00		350
Clayton Circuit		390		390	396	31	9	31	3	29	6	5,600	ОС	1	700 00	50 00	2,255
Total	16	5,805		5,805	5,144	559	377	239	61	481	68	\$ 63,550	00	12 \$	12,085 00\$	2,850 00	\$ 9,904
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Raleigh District	ī o	5,296	1 T	5,353	5,190	345	184	375	34	205	46	\$ 80,200	00	9.8	14,950 00 \$	7,420 00 \$	5,063
Durham District			11.	5,849	5,611		208	371	45	294	60	96,000	00	9	16,800 00	4,680 00	11,252
avetteville District		7,376		7,410	7,296	461	195	39 I	143	279	72	58,825	00	II	11,775 00	12,000 00	2,779
lockingham District				6,212	5,825	436	320	366	266	195	60	43,500	00	9	9,450 00	2,908 75.	1,888
Vilmington District	16			7,947	7,884	379	141	414	170	172	80	126,985	00	10	13,560 00	2,570 00	3,969
lew Berne District			I	7,489	7,211	739	246	659	146	435	67:	86,100	00	12	18,450 00	2,466 00	5,344
Vashington District			- 1	5,686	5 444	547	IIO	320	160	343	58	66,475	00	12	10,150 00	1,940 00	2,988
Varienton District			2	5,838	5,749	362	ri3	315	72	204	62	76,050			11,450 00	3,962 00	4,561
Vilson District				5,805	5,144	559	377	239	61	481	68	63.550			12,085 00	2,850 00	9,904
Total	135	57,408	24	57,691	55,354	4,229	1,894	3,450	1,116	2,608	573	697,685	00	94 \$	118,670 00\$	40,796 75	47,752
Total last year		55,591	27	55,615		4,571	1,863	2,930		2,793	543	702,744	40	92	114,355 00. 1	66,945 00	50,574
Increase		1,817		2,076			31	520	92		30			2\$	4,315 00		
Decrease	0		2			342				185		\$ 5.050	40		\$1	26. 148 25 9	2.821 6

FINANCIAL TABLE .- SUPPORT OF MINISTRY -

			I	FINANCI	AL TA	ABLE.	-Surport	of Mini	ISTRY -
								R	ALEIGH
NAME OF CHARGE.		der.	Preacher i	in Charge	Bish	iops.	Conference Claimants		eig ₁₁
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass' d	Paid.	Ass' d Pai	d. Ass'd.	Paid.
Raleigh—Edenton St Central Ch City Miss'n and	265 o 83 o			1,800 00 1,200 00	13 00	13 00	144 00 144 45 00 45		
Brooklyn Cary Circuit Rolesville Circuit Youngsville Circuit	16 0 91 0 90 0 57 0	67 62 0 83 70	800 00	251 80 608 58 674 30 450 96	18 00 14 00	15 91 12 50	57 00 39 50 00 31	25 141 00 00 140 00	70 50 78 20
Franklinton Circuit Louisburg Station Tar River Circuit Granville Circuit	94 0 83 0 94 0	0 94 00 0 83 00 0 82 88	800 00°		15 00 14 00 15 00	15 00	52 00 52 45 00 30 52 00 40	00 115 00	141 00 90 00 106 00
Oxford StationOxford Circuit	104 0 104 0	0 104 00	900 00	900 00 850 00	22 00 22 00	22 00	60 00 60	00 152 00 00 152 00	152 00 152 00
Total	1,200 0	0 1,143 91	10,150 00	9,871 27	210 00	203 41	661 00 578		
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Durham—Trinity Main Street Carr Church Circuit	210 0 50 0	0 210 00 0 50 00	1,200 00 560 00	1,000 00 1,200 00 560 00 724 00	26 00 6 00	26 00		00 192 00	192 00
Hillsboro Circuit	80 0 40 0 95 0	o 60 60 o 40 00	300 00	462 00 300 00 600 00	5 00	5 00	34 00 25 15 00 15	00 84 00	53 00
Mt. Tirzalı Circuit Person Circuit	210 0 125 0 20 0	0 100 00	800 00	900 00 700 00 210 00	16 00 2 00	16 00	7 00 7	00 114 00	80 00
Alamance Circuit Milton Circuit Yanceyville Circuit	50 0 45 0 110 0	0 45 00	400 00	880 50 375 00 600 00 632 73	6 00	5 00	19 oc 15 17 oo 17	20 47 00 00 42 00	37 60
Total	1,590 0			9,744 23	194 00	186 60	603 00 518		
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Fayetteville - Hay St. and Campbellton Mission - Cumberland Circuit - Cokesbury Circuit - Cokesbury Circuit	90 0 100 0	79 95 0 59 90	550 00 600 00	1,558 oo 488 55 539 39	11 56 12 62	11 56 12 62		94 80 89 00 88 25	89 08 75 00
Sampson Circuit	95 0 65 0 105 0 50 0	65 00 80 50 0 26 30	440 00 625 00 400 00	355 95 440 00 479 50 212 40	9 25 12 75	12 75 2 56	26 35 8 36 30 15	68 64 72 00 89 12 94	21 04 40 00 13 86
Pittsboro Circuit	135 0 155 0 90 0 55 0	0 120 63	900 00 525 00	749 00 411 00 338 29	10 51	18 92 10 51	53 90 48	90 132 37 00 73 53	117 37 35 00 58 83
Carthage Circuit Manly Circuit Jonesboro Circuit	95 0 100 0 115 0	95 00	700 00	726 85 785 00	14 72 14 72	14 72 14 72	41 93 37 41 93 41 47 19 30	73 102 95 93 102 95	92 65 87 95
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Mt. Gilead Circuit Pekin Circuit Prospect Circuit Asbury Circuit	75 0 65 0 70 0	62 91 0 32 50	500 00	695 50 356 53 194 65 260 67	10 25 8 90	4 25 3 16	31 65 12	75 78 10 75 67 70	34 80 25 13 r4 00
St. John's Station Laurinburg Station Maxton and Caledonia Maxton Circuit	115 0 125 0 115 0 85 0	0 115 00 0 125 00 0 104 78	900 00 1,000 00 800 00	900 00 1,000 00 740 18 378 41	15 80 17 10 15 80	15 80 17 10 11 85	48 45 59 52 60 52 48 45 36	98 119 80 60 130 25 33 119 80	119 90 130 25 91 52 57 13
Lumberton Circuit Robeson Circuit	105 0 125 0	0 105 00	700 00	697 00 724 81	14 35 17 00	14 35 17 00	44 20 35 52 60 35	00 109 30 00 130 20	72 00 40 00
Total	1,325 0	0'1,169 20	9,005 00	7,924 51	180 80	155 06	654 40 420	01 1,379 75	1,008 85

ASSESSMENTS OF NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE FOR YEAR 1892.

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FINANCIAL TABLE.—Support of Ministry—

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									WILM	INGTON
NAME OF CHARGE.	Presid Eld		Preach Char		Bish	ops.	Confe	rence lants.	Fore	
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass d	Paid.	Ass'd	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.
Wilmington-Grace Ch	288 00	288 00	1,800 00	1,800 00	34 20		105.45		255 00	255 00
Fifth St Bladen St _	88 00	179 08	1,500 00	1,126 76			87 85		70 70	105 00
Market St.	40 00	47 40	550 00 240 00	316 40 240 30			29 30 14 65		70 70°	27 62
Scott's Hill Circuit	96 00	96 00	600 00	600 00		9 00			83 65	55 76
Onslow Circuit	96 00	72 87	604 00	455 45		11 40	0.	10 00	84 25	9 69
Magnolia Circuit	73 00	67 00 88 00	453 00	428 00	8 55	5 00	,		63 65 84 25	47 00
Clinton Circuit	104 00	80 00	650 00 650 00	571 70 490 00		11 40			99 00	60 25 28 00
Bladen Circuit	80 00	79 03	500 00	493 93	11 40	8 50			84 25	62 00
Elizabeth Circuit	80 00	67 00	500 00	421 00	,				73 65	35 00
Whiteville ircuit	85 00 42 15	66 30 30 88	500, 00 285 00	423 78 193 21	9 55 5 70	9 55 4 00	29 30 17 55		73 65 42 I5	23 50 4 25
Brunswick Mission	20 68	10 37	129 37	65 00		2 00			19 50	3 00
Brunswick Circuit	8c oo	51 05.	500 00	318 76	9 55	9 55	29 30			36 65
Southport Station	96 00	96 00	600 00	600 00		10 50			77 75	51 25
Carver's Creek Circuit	72 00	56 00	458 00	360 00	5 85	5 00	26 35	15 00	63 65	20 00
Total	1,680 83	1,415 58	10.519 37	8,904 29	196 85	163 57	616 65	416 45	1.497 70	
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New Berne-Centenary	-	190 00	1,500 00	1,500 00						
Hancock St. Goldsboro – St. Paul's	30 00	30 10	350 00	350 00			S9 30			16 00
St. John's		30 00	375 00,	375 00	1 - 0					
Goldsboro Circuit	75 00	70 00	600 00	518 90	11 50	8 50	35 25	25 25	86 25	70 25
Mt. Olive Circuit	110 00	94 00	800 00	684 31			51 70			
La Grange Circuit		75 00	600 00 775 00	547 55 637 43			37 60 58 75			
Kinston Station		100 25	900 00	866 60			51 70			
Grifton Circuit	30 00	29 12	170 00.	165 03		4 60	14 10	14 10	34 50	13 80
Craven Circuit		85 00	600 00	591 54						
Jones Circuit		60 00 57 S7	530 00 484 24	420 84 386 31	11 50			20 47		
Morehead Station	70 00		600 00	600 00			32 90			
Beaufort Station			700 00		15 32					
Pamilico Circuit Strait's Circuit		80 00 37 88.	600 00	0				18 80		
Core Sound Mission	40 00 10 00	5 50	400 00 75 00	378 73 35 51		0 13		0 10 00	11 50	1
Total	1,500 00	1,407 52	11,259 24	10,557 75	229 30	220 60	696 02	2 600 62		INGTON
177 1.:				1			1.			
Washington Station	131 00	131 00	900 00	900 00			56 00			
Greenville Circuit	25 00	25 00	250 00	215 00			18 00			. 0
Jamesville Circuit	20 00	20 00.	185 00	175 00	4 00	4 00	15 00	3 00	31 00	15 00
Plymouth Station	84 00	77 00	550 00	530 00						
Roper City Station	60 00 70 00	58 50 38 00	550 00	585 00	8 00	1 2		10 00		
Dare Circuit	75 00	65 00	510 00		Į.		1 %	36 00	10	
Roanoke Island Circuit	60 00	60 35	540 00		10 00	10 00	30 00	30 00	75 00	52 00
Kennekeet Circuit	38 00.	38 00,	500 00	504 55			22 00			
Ocracoke & Hatteras Cir- Mattamuskeet Circuit	38 00	38 oo 65 83	700 00	400 00	6 00		22 00		.,	
Fairfield Station	85 00	64 06	800 00		13 00		35 00			35 00
Swan Quarter Circuit	85 00'	67 43	600 00	476 00	15 00	15 00	44 00	10 00		30 87
Pantego Circuit		39 00	400 00	311 00			20 00			
Washington Circuit	25 00 87 00	25 00 82 75	215 00 600 00	185 00 572 95			15 00	5 00		
Vanceboro Circuit	30 00	25 00	300 00	250 00				23 00		45
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Total	1,200 00	1,059 96	9,600 00	8,616 55	191 00	162 25	608 00	342 62	1,370 00	791 77

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74 80 54 40	59 80 54 40	24 64 17 92	14 64 17 92	25 40 18 45	17 40 18 45	7 46	6 96	7 00	3 70 8 96	63 00 40 75	1,704 79 1,235 54	1 2 2 3 2 7
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57 80 51 00 47 60		19 04 16 80 15 68		19 60 17 30 16 14		7 93	2 50		4 75	58 42	1,158 92 ⁻ 738 44	3 O
47 60 68 00	47 60 68 00	15 68	15 68	16 14	16 14	6 53	6 53		8 15	202 06	638 08 1,130 42 2,262 17	1 6 3 9 5 4
54 40 27 20 6 30	35 00 27 20 6 31	17 92 8 96 2 24	5 00 8 96	18 45 9 23 2 30	5 00 9 23	7 46 3 73 94	4 00 3 73			150 00 25 00	1,412 00 930 31 103 82	2 4 2 73 1 3
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FINANCIAL TABLE.—Support of MINISTRY—

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NAME OF CHARGE.		esi Eld	ding er.			ach	er in ge.		В	ish	ops				ren				eign ions.	
	Ass'o	d.	Pai	d.	Ass'd		Paid		Ass	s'd	Pai	id.	Ass	s'd	Pai	id.	Ass'	d.	Paid	d.
Warrenton Circuit	140	00	123	75	900	00	795	40	18	00	18	00	55	35	50	00	134	IO	90	00
Warren Circuit	140	00		39	900	00	541								25		119	20	62	00
Ridgeway Circuit	140		105		900	00	675	00	18	00	18	00	55	35	55	35	134	10	50	00
Henderson Station	110		110		1,080	00	1,080	00	18	00	18	00	55	35	55	35	134	10	134	IO
Littleton Circuit	So	00	65	45	750	00	613	68	14	00	14	00	40	00	39	51	96	85	93	40
Weldon Station	80	00	80	00	700	00	727	95	14	00	14	00.	43	05	35	00	104	00	90	00
Aurelian Circuit	75	00	55	00	500	00	366	25	10	00	10	00	30	70	20	00	74	50.	46	00
Halifax Circuit	75	00	75	00	675	00	500	00	12	00	12	00	36	90	19	00	89	40	50	00
Garysburg Circuit	75	00	75	00	665	00	665	00	12	00	12	00	37	50	27	50	91	00		00
Northampton Circuit	100	00	100	00	850	00	850	00	17	00	17	00	52	30	52	80	116	65	116	
Meherrin Circuit	65	00	65	00	555	00	555	00	II	00	ΙI	00	34	15	34	15	82	80		80
Murfreesboro Station	75	00	75	00	800	OQ.	800	00	14	00	14	00	43	05	30	00	104	30	60	00
Harrellsville Circuit	60	00	59	25	600	00					10					00	89	40		75
Bertie Circuit	85	00	85	00	700	00	700	00	14	00	14	00	43	05	31	00	104	30	78	00
Total	1,300	00	1.154	84	10,575	00	9,461	92	200	00	198	00	612	90	499	66	1.474	70	1,084	70
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Wilson Station	215	00	193	481	1,400	001	1,259	90	36	00	36	00	106	00	85	00	263	00	179	00
Spring Hope Circuit	40			66	450		171	-		00							60			00
Nashville Circuit	55			42	550		417				IO						65	00	20	00
Rocky Mount Circuit	80			00	920		920	6.			13							00.	84	50
Battleboro & Whitaker's				47	480		389	08		00					22			00.		00
Tarboro Station & Miss	125		125		1,000	-	1,000				16						115		150	
Bethel Circuit	85			00	495	00	370	00	15	00	15	00	44	00	10	00	102	00	40	00
Williamston and Hamil-			- 0		170		0.1													
ton Stations	60	00	52	00	500	co	433	00	10	00	IO	00	30	00	30	00	71	00	131	00
South Edgecombe Circuit	135	00		71	750						16					00	115	00	85	00
Fremont Circuit			115		750	00	750	00	15	00	15	00	52	00	41	00	121	00	81	00
Kenly Circuit	-			00	400	- 1	252			00					13	00	40	00	21	00
Smithfield Circuit				92	700	1	606	04	15	00	15	00	50	00	50	00	119	00	119	00
Dunn Circuit	25			00	435		400			00			II				-	00		00
Newton Grove Circuit				00	200		152	30		00	5	00	21	00	8	50	52	00	20	30
Clayton Circuit	55	1	-	00	660	00	600	00	10	co	9	00	30	00			69	00	74	00
Total	1,195	00	I,024	60	9,690	00	8,257	89	187	00	182	00	613	00	440	56	1,400	00	1,098	62

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NAME OF DISTRICT.	Presid	ing Eld	er.		cher arge.		Bis	ho	ops.		erence lants.	Foreign	Missions
	Ass'd.	Paid		Ass'd.	Paid.		Ass'd		Paid.	Assd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.
Raleigh	1,200 G 1,590 G 1,435 G 1,325 G 1,680 S 1,500 G 1,200 G 1,195 G	1,465 1,266 1,169 33 1,415 1,407 1,00 1,059 1,154	55 00 20 58 52 96 84	2.12	9,744 2 7,096 6 7,924 5 8,904 2 10,557 7 8,616 5 9,461 9	3 3 1 9 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	21C 0 194 0 189 5 180 8 196 8 229 3 191 0 200 0 187 0	56	203 41 186 60 191 01 155 06 163 57 220 60 162 25 198 00 182 00	616 65 696 02 608 00 612 90	518 2 401 7 420 0 416 4 600 6 342 6 499 6	1,495 00 4, 1,325 87 1,379 75 5, 1,490 70 2, 1,724 75 2, 1,370 00 6, 1,474 70	1,263 60 972 74 1,008 88 823 97 1,419 49 791 77 1,084 70
Total Total last year												5 13,387 77 8 13,027 99	
Increase	1,459	50 828	48	2,276 84	3.057 I	0	230 5		213 96	620 01	110 9		2,349 48

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61 80;	48 00							10								1,633 64	12
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			1,892 06 2,405 56			762 16	548 49	86 95 224 15	241 03 360 13	33.520 35 24,351 00	208,274 76 207,031 39
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		RALEI	GH DISTR	ICT.				
NAME OF CHARGE.	Number of Schools.	No. of Officeres and Teachrs.	Number of Scholars.	Amt. Collected for Sunday- schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Amount Collected for other Objects.	Total amount Raised.
Raleigh—Edenton Street Central City Mission and Brooklyn Cary Circuit Rolesville Circuit Youngsville Circuit Louisburg Station Tar River Circuit Oxford Station Oxford Circuit Total	1 1 5 5 4 3 2 5 7 1 5	42 20 12 36 37 22 24 23 30 61 14 29	450 221 84 300 289 180 217 170 257 361 139 267	\$ 379 33 134 00 45 44 90 00 29 10 39 90 77 81 163 73 54 34 74 63 94 70 41 62	12 87	\$ 3 75 5 23 10 01 5 26 \$ 24 25	\$	\$ 383 08 159 00 71 28 115 00 29 00 54 12 83 04 186 53 67 09 74 63 129 96 65 24 \$ 1,417 97
		DURH	AM DISTR	RICT.				
Durham—Trinity Main Street Carr Church Durham Circuit Hillsboro Circuit	I 2 I 9	35 42 18 45 30	330 325 127 400 304	\$ 200 00 154 70 24 67 48 00 20 50	13 65		\$ 166 05	\$ 210 00 340 19 24 67 56 00 60 92

Chapel Hill Station	I	9	77	25 95			4 00	29 9	5
Leasburg Circuit	5	48	285	60 06			140 00	200 0	-
Roxboro Circuit	5	43	345	45 00	10 00		100 00	155 00	0
Mt. Tirzah Circuit	12	57	479	40 00	24 20			64 20	O
Person Circuit	2	01	75	10 00				10 00	0
Burlington Circuit	7	63	517	127 55	18 77	66	30 00	176 98	8
Alamance Circuit	5	25	225	29 50		1 66		31 10	6
Milton Circuit	4	30	220	30 00	55 00		16 00	101 00	0
Yanceyville Circuit	6	46	251	30 50				30 50	0
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Total	68	501	3,960	\$ 846 43	\$ 150 12	\$ 22 52	\$ 471 56	\$ 1,490 6	3

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

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Fayetteville—Hay St. and Camp. Mission	3	47	288	#	74 01	\$ 10 00	\$	\$	\$ 84 01
Cumberland Circuit	6	37	296		25 30				25 30
Cokesburg Circuit	5	30	257		35 00		2 50	116 00	153 50
Sampson Circuit	7	51	427		27 60		I 25	17 09	52 19
Lillington Circuit	5	24	185		20 40				20 40
Buckhorn Circuit	6	40	475		16 00				16 00
Cape Fear Circuit	7	65	422		23 60				23 60
Pittsboro Circuit	8	45	516		35 00	12 00			47 00
Haw River Circuit	5	57	434		49 34			122 10	171 44
Deep River Circuit	4	23	160		16 00			10 00	16 00
Siler City Circuit	4	21	285		34 50			10 00	44 50
Carthage Circuit	3	38	323		49 91			14 75	64 66
Mauly Circuit	4	20	120		40 00				40 00
Jonesboro Circuit	5	35	287		74 00	20 00		170 00	84 00
Total	62	515	3.875	\$	520 66	\$ 48 25	\$ 3 75	\$ 459 94	1,722 60

SUNDAY-SCHOOL TABLE.—ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	Number of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	Number of Scholars.		Amt. Collected for Sunday- schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.		Amount Collected on	Children's Day.	Amount Collected for other Objects.		Total Amount Raised.
Rockingham Station Rockingham Circuit Richmond Circuit Mt. Gilead Circuit Pekin Circuit	2 6 5 6 8 6 8 2 2 3 7 7	17 22 46 25 50 24 32 27 25 20 21 30 25	190 265 454 325 400 374 283 260 233 174 217 300 250	#	41 82 48 37 50 12 85 15 10 00 24 80 16 65 70 75 25 00	\$ -28 42	-	9		- 8o 15	\$	47 50 76 79 63 12 95 15 90 15 24 80 16 65 246 75 105 46 30 89
Total	67	364	3,725	- '		\$ 78 42	- -	22	3 62	\$ 371 31	\$	861 26
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Wilmington—Grace Church Fifth Street Bladen Street Market Street Scott's Hill Circuit	I I I I 6	44 27 17 15	291 162 116 57 165	#	75 00 105 00 69 55 10 60 14 37	\$ 80 98 	#		74	\$ 135 95 38 05	*	426 96 105 00 107 60 39 30 40 68
Onslow Circuit	7 9	48 45	278 391		27 79 33 68		-				- 1	27 79 35 43

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Brunswick Mission Brunswick Circuit Southport Station Carver's Creek Circuit	3 10 1 4	38 17 38	97 340 150 260		27 50 46 00 40 00	o o	5 00	5 00	25 00 62 00	2 13 62 50 46 00 104 00
Total	82	590	4,606	*	709 6	3 4	169 98	\$ 41 32	\$ 392 50	\$ 1,443 85
		NEW BE	RNE DIST	RIC	CT.				COMMODERY - DIGHT (1 April	admits migraphysper og gg
New Berne—Centenary Hancock Street Goldsboro—St. Paul's St. John's	I I 2	35 12 43 12	305 69 244	#	74 38 21 68 102 90 61 28	8	99 10	\$	\$ 182 65 53 00	\$ 356 13 21 68 155 90
Goldsboro Circuit Mt. Olive Circuit La Grange Circuit Snow Hill Circuit	7 5 7 6	43 45 46 48	100 324 450 237 340		35 O ₂ 111 18 35 O ₄ 45 O ₆	5 4	20 00	3 70 8 96	96 00	61 28 131 05 134 88 44 00 55 00
Kinston Station Grifton Circuit Craven Circuit Jones Circuit	5 6 7	15 34 38 40	130 269 255 261		25 00 49 53 47 40 40 00	7	27 00 10 00 11 14	4 75	3 00	52 00 62 57 52 21 57 14
Carteret Circuit	6 2 2 7 4	59 33 29 28 38	296 245 195 307 164	i	61 00 85 00 66 13 40 00 14 13	3 5 -	12 16 198 00 15 00	8 15	14 83 45 00 50 00	73 16 85 00 298 11 100 00 64 15
Core Sound Mission	72	607	4,256	\$	921 32		\$ 392 40	\$ 25 56	\$ 450 48	\$ 1,810 76

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Kenansville Circuit

Clinton Circuit

Bladen Circuit

Elizabeth Circuit

Whiteville Circuit

Waccamaw Circuit

Brunswick Mission -----

SUNDAY-SCHOOL TABLE.—WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	Number of Schools.	No. of Officers, and Teachers.	Number of Scholars.		Amt. Collected for Sunday- schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Amount Collected for other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.
Washington Station	1	27	230	#	73 11	\$ 19 00	#	\$ 400 \$	96 11
Greenville Station	2	20	215	-	90 00	40 00	5 80	10 00	145 80
Greenville Circuit	5	22	200		21 10			1 00	22 10
Jamesville Circuit	2	9	70	1	5 00	20 00		25 00	50 00
Plymouth Station	2	17	92		25 00			26 00	51 00
Roper City Station	3	28	200		48 60		į	62 00	110 60
Columbia Circuit	5	43	237	1 .	60 00				60 00
Dare Circuit	7	60	300		28 00			12 00	40 00
Roanoke Island Circuit	2	39	150		30 77	15 00			45 77
Kennekeet Circuit	5	20	250		40 00	24 00			64 00
Ocracoke and Hatteras Circuit	4	50	310		53 60			3 75	57 35
Mattamuskeet Circuit	4	17	125		16 00				16 00
Fairfield Station	1	11	60		10 00			5 00	15 00
Swan Quarter Circuit	7	30	240		18 00				18 00
Pantego Circuit	3	20	150		15 00				15 00
Washington Circuit	2	12	60		15 00				15 00
Aurora Circuit	3	27	149		17 60	3 50	,	10 00	31 10
Vanceboro Circuit	6	25	250		20 00				20 00
Total	64	477	3,288	\$	586 78	\$ 121 50	\$ 5 80	\$ 158 75 \$	872 83

		WARREN	TON DIST	RIC	T.						
Warrenton Circuit	4	38	158	#	57	30	\$	\$ 12 73	\$	1#	70 03
Warren Circuit	6	37	275	π	28		77			. #'	28 60
Ridgeway Circuit.	6	53	353		30						31 70
Henderson Station	2	26	153		121				83 25		216 70
Littleton Circuit	3	32	209		35 .		10 011 000 011 000 000 1 000 0		7 91		55 69
Weldon Station	ī	16	84		92						106 88
Aurelian Circuit	6	33	280		1.1						14 00
Halifax Circuit	5	33	254		49	3.3	15 03			1	64 36
Garysburg Circuit	5	26	327		16				15 00		31 39
Northampton Circuit	8	83	695		112						180 31
Meherrin Circuit	5	52	337		30	~	-				132 57
Murfreesboro Station	1	23	104		22	50		4 62	52 91		80 03
Harrelsville Circuit	6	30	245		38	22	6 35		20 00		64 57
Bertie Circuit	6	45	243		25	00		10 00	55 00		90 00
Total	64	527	3,717	#	673	81	\$ 146 38	\$ 54 12	\$ 291 62	*	1,166 83
		WILSO	N DISTRI	CT.				The most of the same			- Emphatrica services some
Wilson Station	I	23	200	*	60 (00	\$	#	\$ 69 61	#	138 61
Spring Hope Circuit	5	21	212	1443			#**	T	* /	4,	5 38
Nashville Circuit	4	19	110		15						25 93
Rocky Mount Circuit	2	15	150		75				20 00		95 00
Battleboro and Whitaker's	7	36	238		34			1 59			65 74
Tarboro Station and Mission	5	50	285		45		17 83		73 49		142 58
Bethel Circuit	2	25	85		18		-7 -5	7	15 00		33 50
Williamston and Hamilton Station	2	22	104		26				12 84		100 11
South Edgecombe Circuit	8	53	347		50 0			~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~	,		102 31
Fremont Circuit	10	60	500		50 0		٧.				50 00
Kenly Circuit	3	13	123		10 (10 00
Smithfield Circuit	6	44	331		35	00					78 88
Dunn Circuit	7 .	32	307		23						38 96
Newton Grove Circuit	5	23	214			-		()			44 00
Clayton Circuit	6	30	240								32 00
Total	73	466	3,446	#	527 (68	\$ 120 39	\$ 16 22	\$ 292 71	\$	962 80

RECAPITULATION.

NAME OF DISTRICTS.	Number of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	Number of Scholars.	Amt. Collected for Sunday- schools.	Amount Collected for Missions.	Amount Collected on Children's Day.	Amount Collected for other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.
Raleigh District Durham District Fayetteville District Rockingham District Wilmington District New Berne District Washington District Warrenton District Wilson District	40 68 62 67 82 72 64 64 73	350 501 515 364 590 607 477 527 466	2,935 3,960 3,875 3,725 4,606 4,256 3,288 3,717 3,446	\$1.224 60 846 43 520 66 375 66 709 63 921 32 586 78 673 81 527 68	150 12 48 25 78 42 169 98 392 40 121 50 146 38	\$ 24 25 22 52 3 75 33 62 41 32 25 56 5 80 54 12 16 22	\$ 106 01 471 56 459 94 371 31 392 50 450 48 158 75 291 62 292 71	\$ 1,417 97 1,490 63 1,722 60 861 26 1,443 85 1,810 76 872 83 1,166 83 962 80
TotalTotal last year	592 583	4,397 4,286	33,808 35,035	6,386 57 6,316 84	\$1,295 85 1,384 85	\$ 227 16 360 13	\$2,994 88 2,892 93	\$11,749 53 10,907 26
Increase Decrease	9	III	1,227	\$ 69 73	\$ 89 00	132 97	\$ 101 95	\$ 842 27

ROLL OF THE CONFERENCE.

Dates indicate time of admission into Conference on trial.

I	Miles Foy	- 1829	Lynchburg, Va.
* 2	Joseph H. Wheeler	1834	-Charleston, S. C.
3	Washington S. Chaffin	1840	Mocksville, N. C.
4	Nathan A. Hooker	. 1840	Mocksville, N. C.
5	T. Page Ricaud	_1841	Norfolk. Va.
* 6	Thomas B. Reeks	-1844	Pittsboro, N. C.
* 7	Joseph B. Martin	-1845	-Washington, N. C.
8	Thomas W. Guthrie	-1851	-Salisbury, N. C.
9	Shockley D. Adams	- 1852	Louisburg, N. C.
*10	Isaac W. Avent	- 1853	Raleigh, N. C.
II	William S. Black	-1855	Marion, S. C.
*12	James B. Bobbitt	-1855	Wilmington, N. C.
13	Jesse A. Cunninggim	_1855	Wilmington, N. C.
14	Moses J. Hunt	-1855	Wilmington, N. C.
15	Marcus C. Thomas	-1855	Wilmington, N. C.
16	Marquis L. Wood	-1855	Wilmington, N. C.
*17	James B. Bailey	-1856	Greensboro, N. C.
18	Alexander D. Betts	.1856	-Greensboro, N. C.
*19	George E. Wyche	_1856	Greensboro, N. C.
20	David R. Bruton	- 1857	-Goldsboro, N. C.
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21	VanBuren A. Sharpe	-1857	Charlotte, N. C.
	John W. Jenkins		
22		-1858	New Berne, N. C.
22 23	John W. Jenkins	_1858	New Berne, N. C. New Berne, N. C.
22 23 24	John W. Jenkins	- 1858	New Berne, N. C. New Berne, N. C. Beaufort, N. C.
22 23 24 25	John W. Jenkins	- 1858	New Berne, N. C. New Berne, N. C. Beaufort, N. C. Greenville, S. C.
22 23 24 25 26	John W. Jenkins	- 1858	New Berne, N. C. New Berne, N. C. Beaufort, N. C. Greenville, S. C. Salisbury, N. C.
22 23 24 25 26 27	John W. Jenkins	- 1858	New Berne, N. C. New Berne, N. C. Beaufort, N. C. Greenville, S. C. Salisbury, N. C. Salisbury, N. C.
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	Richard J. Moorman		-
38	Johnathan Sanford	1872	Fayetteville, N. C.
39	Lucian J. Holden	1873	Goldsboro, N. C.
40	Nathaniel M. Jurney	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
41	William S. Rone	1874_	Raleigh, N. C.
42	John T. Gibbs	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
43	Leonidas L. Nash	1874	Raleigh, N. C.
44	James M. Rhodes	1875	Wilmington, N. C.
45	Benjamin R. Hall	1875	Wilmington, N. C.
			Greensboro, N. C.
47	Walter S. Creasy	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
48	William B. Doub	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
49	James T. Lyon	1876	Greensboro, N. C.
50	Nereus E. Coltrane	1877	Salisbury, N. C.
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			Cleveland, Tenn.
-			Charlotte, N. C.
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58	John N. Cole	1878	
-	James O. Guthrie		
	Francis B. McCall		
	William L. Cuninggim		
	Daniel A. Watkins		
	Charles W. Cain		·
	Robert L. Warlick		
	Zachary T. Harrison		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
-	Leroy L. Johnson		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	William L. Grissom		
	Joseph L. Keen		
	Edward L. Pell		· ·
-	William J. Crowson		,
	John H. Hall		
72			
	Clayter W. Smith	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
73	Clayter W. Smith Charles O. Durant	1882	Raleigh, N. C.
73 74	Charles O. Durant Barna B. Holder	1882 1882	Raleigh, N. C. Raleigh, N. C. Raleigh, N. C. Raleigh, N. C.
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SI	James M. Ashby	. 1883	Statesville, N. C.
.82	Daniel H. Tuttle	.1883	Statesville, N. C.
83	John B. Hurley	. 1883	Statesville, N. C.
84	Roderick B. John	1883	Statesville, N. C.
85	Frank M. Shamburger	1883	Statesville, N. C.
86	Thomas J. Dailey	1883	Statesville, N. C.
87	Oliver Ryder	. 1884	Wilmington, N. C.
88	Miles M. McFarland	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
	John A. Hornaday		
	Conder P. Jerome		
	Duncan A. Futrell		
92	William W. Rose	1884	Wilmington, N. C.
93	George B. Perry	1885	Charlotte, N. C.
	Erskine Pope		
95	William S. Davis	1885	Charlotte, N. C.
96	George W. Fisher	1885	-Charlotte, N. C.
	Joseph A. Green		
	Thomas C. Lovin		
	Robert B. Gilliam		
	William A. Forbes		
	William H. Townsend		
	Nathan H. Guyton		
	Edward H. Davis		
	John D. Pegram		
0	Charles W. Robinson		
	Thomas N. Ivey		
	Richard W. Townsend		
	Daniel C. Geddie		
	James G. Johnson		
	William H. Puckett		
	George F. Smith		
	Henry B. Anderson		
	James M. Lowder		
	Thomas W. S. Parker		
	Hampton McRae Jackson-		
	Leonidas M. Chaffin		
	John R. Sawyer		
	George T. Simmons		
	John J. Barker		
	John Henry Shore		
	Magruder H. Tuttle		
	Eli C. Sell		
	Charles F. Sherrill		
124	Louland S. Etheridge	_1888	-New Berne, N. C.

125 Neill McKay Watson	1888	New Berne, N. C,
		New Berne, N. C.
127 Daniel Reid	1888	New Berne, N. C.
128 William F. Galloway	1889	Greensboro, N. C.
129 William Y. Everton	1890	Wilson, N. C.
130 Jasper B. Thompson	0681	Wilson, N. C.
131 George W. Starling	1890	Wilson, N. C.
132 George G. Harley	1890	Wilson, N. C.
133 John C. Jones	1890	Wilson, N. C.
134 George D. Langston	1890	Wilson, N. C.
135 William B. Moore	1890	Wilson, N. C.
136 John A. Rouse	1890	Wilson, N. C.
137 Lemon H. Joyner, Jr.,	1892	Goldsboro, N. C.

^{*}Not present during Conference.

ROLL OF LAY DELEGATES.

RALEIGH DISTRICT.—D. W. Bain,* R. H. Whitaker, W. H. P. Jenkins,* W. N. Fuller; S. M. Parish, alternate, present in place of D. W. Bain; J. P. Hunt, alternate, present in place of W. H. P. Jenkins.

DURHAM DISTRICT.—W. E. Ormond,* R. J. Featherstone,* J. B. Walker,* S. S. Webb;* J. G. Daily, alternate, present in place of W. E. Ormond.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.—A. D. Muse, E. W. Atwater,* K. H. Worthy, A. A. Harrington, Jr.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.—H. C. Wall, J. T. John,* Dr. F. E. Asbury, C. B. Townsend.*

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.—W. W. Hodges,* J. E. Durham, A. J. Johnson, H. C. Moffitt.

NEW BERNE DISTRICT.—J. Q. Jackson, L. A. Potter, A. G. Coward, J. K. Willis.

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.—T. J. Jarvis, J. Y. Pegrani, I. B. Watson, S. M. S. Rollinson.

WARRENTON DISTRICT.—Dr. D. B. Zollicoffer,* E. T. Clark, Uriah Vaughn, G. S. Prichard; Rev. Wm. Grant, alternate, present in place of Dr. D. B. Zollicoffer.

WILSON DISTRICT.—T. R. Hood, F. A. Woodard, D. T. Britt, W. A. Ellison.

^{*}Not present during Conference.

ALPHABETICAL ROLL.

Adams, S. D., P. E	
	Carthage
Allred B C	Carv
Allred, B. C	Rattleboro
Antita t 30	Claritan
Ashby, J. M	Ciayton
Avent, I. W	Chalk Level
Avent, I. W Bailey, J B	Lincolnton
Barker, J. J.—————————————————————————————————	Raleigh
Reaman R C	Durham
Docton E & (cumply)	Harlowe Creek
Dector, P. S. (suppry)	Mariowe Cicek
Betts, A. D.	Maxton
Bishop, F. A	Durnam
Black, W. S.	Oxford
Bobbitt, J. B	Raleigh
Bobbitt, J. B Bristowe, J. E Broom, R. H	Aurora
Decour D II	LaGrange
Diooni, K. H	Toles
Browning, 1. J.	POKE
Bruton, D. R	W1ISO11
Bradshaw, MLittle	River Academy
Bumpass, R. F	Beaufort
Bundy I D	Cumberland
Butt I E (supply)	Yew Berne
Coin C W	Morrane
Caill, C. W.	Maxton
Broom, R. H Browning, T. J Bruton, D. R Bradshaw, M Bradshaw, Joseph Cain, C. W Call, W. H Carraway, Joseph (supply Caviness D, N	Washington
Carraway, Joseph (supply	·)
Caviness, D. N	Hillsboro
Caviness, D. N. Chaffin, L. M. Cole, J. N. Coltrane, N. E. Cordon, J. H.	Cypress Creek
Choffee W C	Toneshoro
Chann, W. S.	Dalaigh
Cole, J. N.	Kaleigh
Coltrane, N. E	Snow Hill
Cordon, J. H.	Oxford
Crisp I C	_ Graham, S. C.
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